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2005 .....	Scooter Molander, Brophy Prep
2004 .....	John Bryant, Pima
2003 .....	John Wrenn, Hamilton
2002 .....	Rodger Schenks, Globe
2001 .....	Richard Sanchez, Sunnyside
2000 .....	Jimmy Jones, Red Mountain
1999 .....	Ron Estabrook, Chaparral
1998 .....	Jim Rattay, Desert Vista
1997 .....	Bob Young, Mingus Union
1996 .....	Paul Moro, Blue Ridge
1995 .....	Richard Gray, Arizona Boys Ranch
1994 .....	Doug Shaffer, Horizon
1993 .....	Mike Morgan, St. Johns
1992 .....	Jim Beall, Snowflake
1991 .....	Tom Wheatley, Agua Fria
1990 .....	Jeff Scurran, Sabino
1989 .....	Gary Venturo, Corona del Sol
1988 .....	Jerry Loper, Westwood
1987 .....	Mike Clark, Dobson
1986 .....	Jim Rattay, Mesa
1985 .....	Jim Bevell, Chaparral
1984 .....	Pat Farrell, St. Mary's
1983 .....	Jesse Parker, Mesa Mountain View
1982 .....	Earl Putman, Moon Valley
1981 .....	Richard Gray, Horizon
1980 .....	Karl Kiefer, McClintock
1979 .....	Vern Friedli, Amphitheater
1978 .....	Dan Dunn, Gilbert
1977 .....	Jim Russum, Casa Grande



**Hamilton's Steve Belles** (Paynter's Pics)

1976 .....	Ed Anderson, Coronado
1975 .....	Jerry Loper, Amphitheater
1974 .....	Bill Epperson, Coconino
1973 .....	Van Howe, Palo Verde
1972 .....	Harvey Keeney, Miami
1971 .....	Ollie Mayfield, Tucson
1970 .....	Ed Hubbard, Pima
1969 .....	Ray Laing, Central
1968 .....	Ike Sharp, Douglas
1967 .....	Ed Doherty, St. Mary's

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## METRO PLAYER OF THE YEAR



### COREY ADAMS

#### PAST WINNERS

2008 .. Corey Adams, Saguaro, DL  
2007 .. Tim Ruben, Saguaro, QB  
2006 .. Everson Griffen, Agua Fria, RB/DL  
2005 .. Kyle Williams, Chaparral, RB/KR  
2004 .. Matt Clapp, Paradise Valley, RB/LB  
2003 .. Zach Miller, Desert Vista, TE/LB  
2002 .. Marcus Thomas, Tolleson, RB  
2001 .. Mike Nixon, Sunnyslope, QB/DB/K  
2000 .. Mike Bell, Tolleson, RB  
1999 .. Terrell Suggs, Hamilton, RB  
1998 .. Bobby Wade, Desert Vista, RB/DB  
1997 .. Todd Heap, Mountain View, TE/LB  
1996 .. Justin Traplin, Tempe, WR  
1995 .. Mike Brown, Saguaro, RB/DB  
1994 .. Tavon Cooper, Peoria, RB/KR  
1993 .. Paul Shields, Paradise Valley, RB/DB  
1992 .. Mike Mitchell, Brophy Prep, RB

1991 .. Sam Salts, St. Mary's, WB/DB/K  
1990 .. Grady Benton, Mesa, QB  
1989 .. Brian Drew, McClintock, RB/RS  
1988 .. Mike Salmon, Greenway, WB/DB/K  
1987 .. Kevin Galbreath, Maryvale, RB  
1986 .. Nathan LaDuke, Alhambra, QB/DB  
1985 .. Cleveland Colter, McClintock, RB/DB  
1984 .. Steve Belles, St. Mary's, QB  
1983 .. Anthony Parker, McClintock, RB/DB  
1982 .. Glenn Rogers, Agua Fria, RB  
1981 .. Frank Rudolph, Coronado, DE  
1980 .. Jimmy Williams, Tempe, LB  
1979 .. Todd Shell, Mountain View, LB  
1978 .. Rory Barnett, Trevor Browne, RB (jr)  
1977 .. Mike Pagel, Washington, QB  
1976 .. Greg Brady, Coronado, QB  
1975 .. Brian Felix, Phoenix Union, RB/DB

1974 .. David Mitchell, St. Mary's (jr)  
1973 .. Rob Wilson, Coronado, QB/DB  
1972 .. Keith Sobraski, Coronado, DT  
1971 .. Fred Mortensen, Tempe, QB  
1970 .. Bob Breunig, Alhambra, FB/LB  
1969 .. Danny White, Westwood, QB  
1968 .. Bill Mannion, St. Mary's, QB  
1967 .. Tim Smith, St. Mary's, FB  
1966 .. Bob Soza, Westwood, TB  
1965 .. Bill Dunning, Mesa, RB  
1964 .. Richard Griffin, Westwood, T  
1963 .. Earliest Nelson, South Mountain, RB  
1962 .. Everett "Moose" Rollins, Arcadia, RB  
1961 .. Andy Livingston, Mesa, RB  
1960 .. Ted Lawrence, South Mountain, G  
1959 .. Bob Olson, South Mountain, RB  
1958 .. Lewis Albright, Scottsdale, RB

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# KUKULSKI BROTHERS SALUTES CITY PLAYERS OF THE YEAR FOR...

## CHANDLER

2008...Bryce Lamb (DB), Chandler  
2007...Marc Anthony (DB), Chandler  
2006...Cameron Jordan (DL), Chandler

## GILBERT

2008...Chris Hedore (WR/KR), Desert Ridge  
2007...Chase Beatty (LB), Gilbert  
2006...Kyle Newhall-Caballero (QB), Gilbert

ATHLETES FROM BASHA, CHANDLER, HAMILTON,  
SETON CATHOLIC AND VALLEY CHRISTIAN  
HIGH SCHOOLS ARE ELIGIBLE FOR THIS AWARD.

## GLENDALE

2008...Kharyee Marshall (DL), Washington  
2007...Brenin Brooks (LB), Greenway  
2006...Prince Amukamara (RB), Apollo

ATHLETES FROM APOLLO, CORTEZ, GLENDALE,  
GREENWAY, INDEPENDENCE, MOON VALLEY,  
SUNNYSLOPE, THUNDERBIRD AND WASHINGTON  
HIGH SCHOOLS ARE ELIGIBLE FOR THIS AWARD.

## PEORIA

2008...John Hughes (RB), Centennial  
2007...Kendrick McBride (DL), Centennial  
2006...Tom Ramsey (DL), Centennial

ATHLETES FROM CACTUS, CENTENNIAL, IRONWOOD,  
LIBERTY, PEORIA, RAYMOND KELLIS AND SUNRISE  
MOUNTAIN HIGH SCHOOLS ARE ELIGIBLE  
FOR THIS AWARD.

## TEMPE

2008...Anthony Rose (LB), Marcos de Niza  
2007...Harrison Evans (RB), Marcos de Niza  
2006...Harrison Evans (RB), Marcos de Niza

ATHLETES FROM CORONA DEL SOL, DESERT VISTA,  
MARcos DE NIZA, MCCLINTOCK, MOUNTAIN POINTE AND  
TEMPE HIGH SCHOOLS ARE ELIGIBLE FOR THIS AWARD.

## TOLLESON

2008...Jeremiah Cornist (RB/KR), La Joya  
2007...Guy Reynolds (L), Westview  
2006...Brian Conley (RB), Westview

ATHLETES FROM COPPER CANYON, LA JOYA,  
SIERRA LINDA, TOLLESON AND WESTVIEW HIGH  
SCHOOLS ARE ELIGIBLE FOR THIS AWARD.

# Disappointing in 2008, ASU Ready For Better '09 Campaign!

By David Kukulski

From 10-3 in 2007 to 5-7 in 2008, Coach Dennis Erickson and his Sun Devils are searching for redemption in 2009, after Arizona State fell far short of expectations last fall.

Injuries certainly played a role. But last year's edition of Sun Devil Football demonstrated some glaring weaknesses that Erickson and his staff are still working to overcome. It appears the last two recruiting classes have substantially increased the talent level on campus, so will the Devils be much improved?

That Sun Devil defense looks good on paper. Solid veterans like Dexter Davis, Mike Nixon, Travis Goethel and Gerald Munns. Emerging stars like Lawrence Guy, James Brooks, Jamaar Jarrett, Shelly Lyons and Brandon Magee. Skilled newcomers like Corey Adams, William Sutton, Dean DeLeone, Vontaze Burfict, Matt Tucker and Osahon Irabor.

For the first time in many years, ASU appears to have everything you need to stop the other guys – size, speed, depth and the desire to be great.

It all starts with Davis, a 6-2, 255-pound senior defensive end with career totals of 113 tackles and 27.5 sacks. Barring injury, he should be one of the better speed rushers in the country. The remaining starters up front should be Brooks (6-5, 278) or Jarrett (6-5, 268) at the other defensive end, as well as Guy (6-5,



*Sophomore James Brooks (34) could be ready to shine on the ASU defensive line in 2009 (Paynter's Pics).*

293) and Saia Falahola (6-1, 298) at the tackles. Guy is a force to be reckoned with, having earned Freshman All-America honors last year.

Newcomers DeLeone (6-2, 245), Adams (6-3, 308) and Sutton (6-1, 285) will push for playing time. Unfortunately, defensive tackle Otis Jones suffered an ACL tear in the spring and is out for the 2009 season; he was really starting to play well.

Others to watch on the defensive front are Jonathan English (6-0, 282), Jamarr Robinson (6-2, 247) and Bo Moos (6-0, 288). English is returning from a knee injury and is in great shape. He could press for an increased role over previous seasons.

The linebacking corps figures to be the backbone of the defense. There are battle-tested veterans and youngsters with tremendous upside. Moving the likes of Nixon (6-2, 224), Goethel (6-3, 237) and Munns (6-4, 242) out of the lineup won't be easy, but Lyons (6-2, 225), Magee (5-11, 226), Burfict (6-3, 245), Oliver Aaron (6-0, 205) and Derall Anderson (6-3, 223) are just too good not to play at least part of

the time. Lyons, Magee, Aaron and Anderson are sophomores, while Burfict arrives in Tempe as the most highly-decorated freshman recruit in Sun Devil history. As you may know, Lyons, Magee and Burfict are all former high school teammates at powerhouse Corona Centennial High School in Southern California. All three are very special players.

The secondary also has more depth than in prior campaigns, especially at cornerback. The starters could be Omar Bolden (5-10, 195) and Terrell Carr (5-9, 177), although senior Pierre Singfield (5-11, 196) and sophomore Josh Jordan (6-1, 173) are worthy contenders.

Redshirt freshman Deveron Carr (5-11, 184) and newcomers LeQuan Lewis (5-10, 193) and Osahon Irabor (5-10, 178) will also battle for playing time. Lewis is among the fastest players on the team and is a highly-regarded JC product.

The Devils will have new safeties, since both Troy Nolan and Rodney Cox used up their eligibility. Sophomore Clint Floyd (5-10, 198) and senior Ryan McFoy (6-1, 209) head into fall camp atop the depth chart, but watch for redshirt fresh-

## 2009 SCHEDULE

Sept. 5	.....Idaho State
Sept. 19	.....Louisiana-Monroe
Sept. 26	.....at Georgia
Oct. 3	.....Oregon State
Oct. 10	.....at Washington State
Oct. 17	.....Washington
Oct. 24	.....at Stanford
Oct. 31	.....California
Nov. 7	.....USC
Nov. 14	.....at Oregon
Nov. 21	.....at UCLA
Nov. 28	.....Arizona



**Sun Devil DE Dexter Davis (58) brings down Georgia's All-America running back Knowshon Moreno. Davis is an All-America candidate this year (Paynter's Pics).**

man Keelan Johnson (6-0, 199), senior Jarell Holman (6-0, 200), junior Max Tabach (6-2, 205) and true freshman Matt Tucker (6-1, 197) to be in the thick of things.

Offensively, the Sun Devils will have a new quarterback, a large contingent of unproven running backs, quite a group of receivers and a more experienced line eager to make up for past sins.

Of course, Rudy Carpenter is gone, so either senior Danny Sullivan (6-4, 242), sophomore Sampson Szakacs (6-4, 205) or true freshman Brock Osweiler (6-8, 237) will be taking the snaps for ASU. Sullivan should begin the season as the number one guy. He possesses a strong arm, but very little experience. Szakacs could play; he can throw the pigskin, but is also very quick and could give the Devils a different look. If the first two can't get the job done, Erickson could always turn things over to Osweiler, who finished high school early last year, so he could attend ASU and participate in spring practice. He's an impressive athlete.

The running backs did not have a good year at all in 2008. In fact, Demetri Nance (5-10, 218) led with just 410 yards on the ground. This year, Nance could lose his job to sophomore Ryan Bass (5-9, 205), redshirt freshman James Morrison (5-11, 219), senior Shaun DeWitt (6-2, 210), senior Jarrell Woods (5-10, 215) or true freshman Cameron Marshall (5-11, 200). The ball-carrying duties will most likely be shared, but don't be surprised if youngsters like Bass, Morrison and

Marshall begin to dominate. Erickson needs at least one of the bunch to step forward and get the job done.

The wideouts are due for a much better season too. Seniors Chris McGaha (6-1, 199), Kyle Williams (5-10, 186), junior Kerry Taylor (6-0, 197), sophomores Gerell Robinson (6-4, 220), T.J. Simpson (6-1, 189) and redshirt freshman A.J. Pickens (5-10, 172) should put up some big numbers.

McGaha is healthy once again; he has posted 112 receptions for 1,569 yards and five scores in his collegiate career.

Williams has great speed and just needs to be more consistent; he has career numbers of 52 catches for 811 yards and 10 TDs. Taylor began the 2008 season very strongly, but tailed off sharply. The Devils need him to be a positive force every game. And Robinson has worked so hard to become the player most everyone believes he will be.

It'll be tight end by committee once again. There's Jovon Williams (6-4, 225), back to contribute what he can as a senior. Dan Knapp (6-5, 258) is really good, but was hurt a year ago and may struggle to regain his form. Stanley Malamala (6-3, 267) is a fine blocker, but not much of a threat to grab many passes. Steven Figueroa (6-4, 251) is coming back from an injury-filled freshman year, while true freshman Max Smith (6-2, 250) and Chris Coyle (6-2, 235) try to figure out where they fit in.

Ah, the offensive front. Honors candidate Shawn Lavaua (6-3, 305) has shifted to left tackle and there's no doubt he's the team leader up front. Jon Hargis (6-3, 312) has moved inside to play left guard and he should be better there. Garth Garhart (6-1, 302) has won the center position; he shows promise. On the right side, the favorites to start are guard Zach Schlink (6-4, 331) and tackle Tom Njunge (6-5, 272).

Others likely to see action are Matt Hustad (6-5, 292), Mike Marcisz (6-5, 298) and Adam Tello (6-3, 290).

Don't forget the kicking game. Junior Thomas Weber, who has merely connected on 43 of 50 field goal attempts and averaged 40.5 yards per punt, is among the best in college football.

## 2009 SUN DEVIL RECRUTS

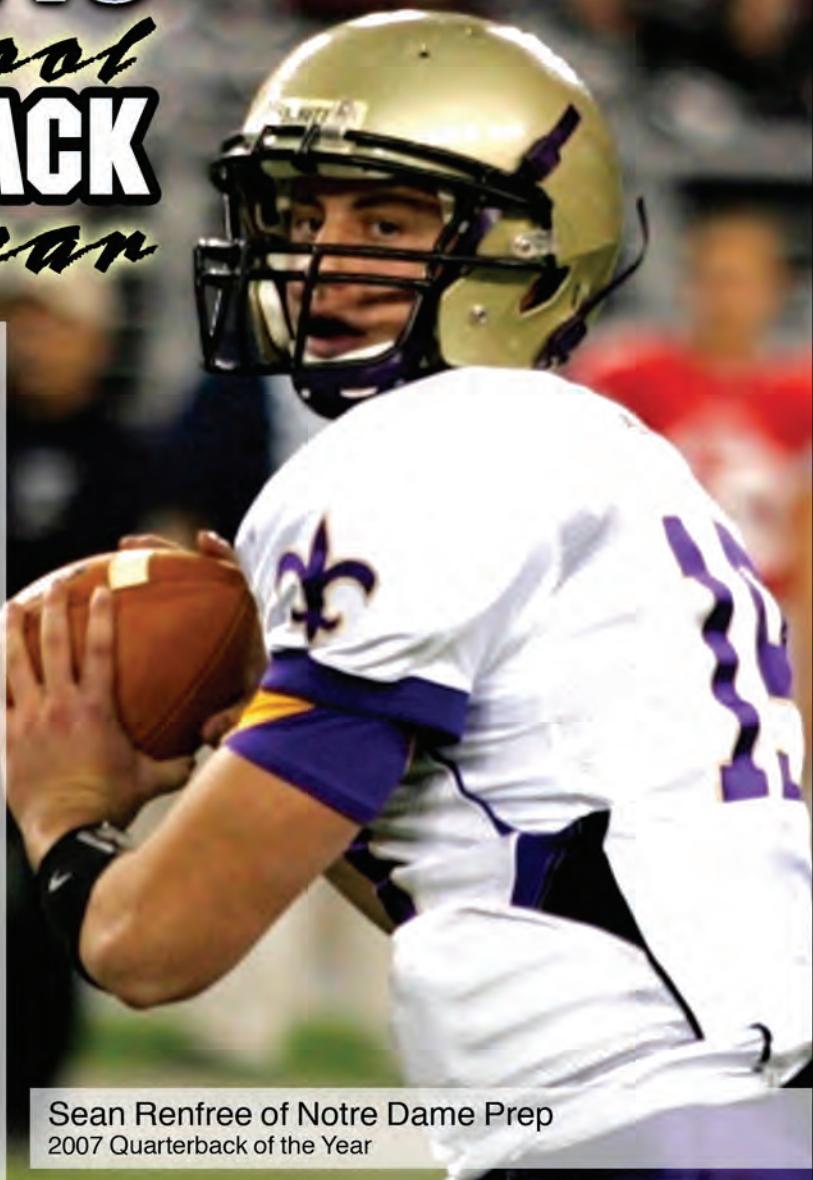
QB .....	Brock Osweiler .....	6-8, 237, Fr .....	Kalispell, MT
RB .....	Cameron Marshall .....	5-11, 200, Fr .....	San Jose, CA
RB .....	Jamal Miles .....	5-10, 180, Fr .....	Peoria, AZ
WR.....	J.J. Holliday .....	6-0, 161, Fr .....	Tucson, AZ
WR.....	Jarrid Bryant .....	6-4, 185, Fr .....	Salisbury, CT
TE .....	Chris Coyle .....	6-2, 235, Fr .....	Westlake Village, CA
TE .....	Max Smith .....	6-2, 250, Fr .....	Scottsdale, AZ
OL .....	Evan Finkenberg .....	6-6, 250, Fr .....	R. Santa Margarita, CA
OL .....	Kody Koebensky .....	6-2, 293, Fr .....	Scottsdale, AZ
DL.....	Dean DeLeone .....	6-2, 245, Jr .....	Park City, UT
DL.....	Corey Adams .....	6-3, 308, Fr .....	Scottsdale, AZ
DL.....	William Sutton .....	6-1, 285, Fr .....	Corona, CA
DL.....	Greg Scott .....	6-3, 240, Fr .....	Perris, CA
LB .....	Vontaze Burfict .....	6-3, 245, Fr .....	Corona, CA
LB .....	Anthony Jones .....	6-1, 200, Fr .....	Chandler, AZ
DB.....	LeQuan Lewis .....	5-10, 193, Jr .....	Norwalk, CA
DB.....	Osahon Irabor .....	5-10, 178, Fr .....	Upland, CA
DB.....	Matt Tucker .....	6-1, 197, Fr .....	Aurora, CO
DB.....	Shane McCullen .....	6-2, 193, Fr .....	Apache Junction, AZ

# 2009 ASU Sun Devil Roster

POS	PLAYER	HT	WT	YR	POS	PLAYER	HT	WT	YR
QB	Danny Sullivan	6-4	242	Sr	DL	Jonathan English	6-0	282	Jr
QB	Samson Szakacsy	6-4	205	So	DL	Jamarr Robinson	6-2	247	Jr
QB	Brock Osweiler	6-8	237	Fr	DL	Otis Jones	6-1	285	Fr
RB	Demetri Nance	5-10	218	Sr	DL	Spencer Gasu	6-1	289	Sr
RB	Ryan Bass	5-9	205	So	DL	Bo Moos	6-0	288	So
RB	James Morrison	5-11	219	Fr	DL	Zeb Toglai	6-2	293	Fr
RB	Jarrell Woods	5-10	215	Sr	DL	Toa Tuiteda	6-3	246	Fr
RB	Shawn DeWitty	6-2	210	Sr	DL	Dean DeLeone	6-2	245	Jr
RB	Cameron Marshall	5-11	200	Fr	DL	Corey Adams	6-3	277	Fr
RB	Jamal Miles	5-10	180	Fr	DL	William Sutton	6-1	265	Fr
WR	Chris McGaha	6-1	199	Sr	DL	Greg Smith	6-3	240	Fr
WR	Kyle Williams	5-10	186	Sr	LB	Mike Nixon	6-3	224	Sr
WR	Kerry Taylor	6-0	197	Jr	LB	Travis Goethel	6-3	237	Sr
WR	Gerell Robinson	6-4	220	So	LB	Gerald Munns	6-4	242	Sr
WR	T.J. Simpson	6-1	189	So	LB	Shelly Lyons	6-2	225	So
WR	Brandon Smith	6-2	195	Sr	LB	Brandon Magee	5-11	226	So
WR	A.J. Pickens	5-10	172	Fr	LB	Oliver Aaron	6-0	205	So
WR	J.J. Holliday	6-0	161	Fr	LB	Colin Parker	6-1	228	So
WR	Jarrid Bryant	6-4	185	Fr	LB	Derall Anderson	6-3	223	So
TE	Jovon Williams	6-4	225	Sr	LB	Vontaze Burfict	6-2	244	Fr
TE	Dan Knapp	6-5	258	So	LB	Anthony Jones	6-1	200	Fr
TE	Stanley Malamala	6-3	267	Sr	CB	Terell Carr	5-9	177	Sr
TE	Steven Figueroa	6-4	251	Fr	CB	Omar Bolden	5-10	195	Jr
TE	Chris Coyle	6-2	235	Fr	CB	Pierre Singfield	5-11	196	Sr
TE	Max Smith	6-2	250	Fr	CB	Josh Jordan	6-1	173	So
OL	Shawn Lauvao	6-3	305	Sr	CB	Deveron Carr	5-11	184	Fr
OL	Jon Hargis	6-3	312	Jr	CB	LeQuan Lewis	5-10	193	Jr
OL	Garth Gerhart	6-1	302	So	CB	Osahon Irabor	5-10	178	Fr
OL	Tom Njunge	6-5	272	Sr	S	Clint Floyd	5-10	198	So
OL	Zach Schlink	6-4	331	So	S	Ryan McFoy	6-1	209	Sr
OL	Thomas Altieri	6-1	301	Sr	S	Keelan Johnson	6-0	199	Fr
OL	Matt Hustad	6-5	292	So	S	Jarell Holman	6-0	200	Sr
OL	Adam Tello	6-3	290	So	S	Max Tabach	6-2	205	Jr
OL	Mike Marcisz	6-5	298	So	S	Jonathan Clark	6-0	187	So
OL	Kyle Johnson	6-7	292	Fr	S	Matt Tucker	6-1	197	Fr
OL	Andrew Sampson	6-3	299	Fr	S	Shane McCullen	6-2	193	Fr
OL	Patrick Jamison	6-3	280	Fr	K	Thomas Weber	6-1	207	Jr
OL	Evan Finkenberg	6-6	250	Fr	Seniors				21
OL	Kody Koebensky	6-2	293	Fr	Juniors				10
DL	Dexter Davis	6-2	255	Sr	Sophomores				22
DL	Lawrence Guy	6-5	293	So	Freshmen				28
DL	Saia Falahola	6-1	298	Jr					
DL	James Brooks	6-5	278	So					
DL	Jamaar Jarrett	6-5	268	So					

# ARIZONA'S High School **QUARTERBACK** *of the Year*

2008 ..... Matt Inman, Yuma Catholic  
2007 ..... Sean Renfree, Notre Dame Prep  
2006 ..... Phillip Aholt, Cactus Shadows  
2005 ..... Jon Tobin, Cactus  
2004 ..... Travis Dixon, Hamilton  
2003 ..... Darren Mougey, Chaparral  
TIE..... Max Hall, Mesa Mountain View  
2002 ..... Jason Murietta, Ironwood  
2001 ..... Mike Nixon, Sunnyslope  
TIE..... Kellen Bradley, Scottsdale Saguaro  
2000 ..... Mike Nixon, Sunnyslope [jr]  
1999 ..... John Beck, Mesa Mountain View  
1998 ..... John Rattay, Desert Vista [jr]  
1997 ..... Richard Lucero, South Mountain  
1996 ..... Todd Mortenson, Tempe  
1995 ..... Ryan Kealy, St. Mary's  
1994 ..... Chris Snyder, Sunnyslope  
1993 ..... Jason Maas, Yuma  
1992 ..... Jason Verdugo, Canyon del Oro  
1991 ..... Anthony Sanders, Santa Rita  
1990 ..... Grady Benton, Mesa  
1989 ..... Aaron Santini, Santa Rita  
1988 ..... Bret Powers, Cactus  
1987 ..... John Bonds, St. Mary's  
1986 ..... Bobby Valdez, Sunnyside  
1985 ..... Kent Kiefer, McClintock  
1984 ..... Steve Belles, St. Mary's  
1983 ..... John Walker, Marcos de Niza  
1982 ..... Rodney Peete, Tucson Sahuarro [jr]  
1981 ..... Steve Stallworth, Yuma  
1980 ..... Trent Hutchinson, South Mountain  
1979 ..... Lloyd Coker, Central  
1978 ..... Kevin Smith, Scottsdale Saguaro [jr]  
1977 ..... Mike Pagel, Washington  
1976 ..... Greg Brady, Coronado  
1975 ..... Jim Krohn, Amphitheater  
1974 ..... Cary Palmer, Mesa  
1973 ..... Rob Wilson, Coronado  
1972 ..... Greg Hubbell, Central  
1971 ..... Fred Mortensen, Tempe  
1970 ..... Fred Mortensen, Tempe [jr]



**Sean Renfree of Notre Dame Prep**  
2007 Quarterback of the Year

1969 ..... Danny White, Westwood  
1968 ..... Bill Mannion, St. Mary's  
1967 ..... Ken Johnson, Arcadia [jr]  
1966 ..... John Svob, Catalina  
1965 ..... George Mattingly, Arcadia  
1964 ..... Dave Grangaard, Camelback  
1963 ..... Rusty Tillman, Agua Fria  
1962 ..... Tim Flood, Brophy Prep  
1961 ..... Elby Bushong, Washington  
1960 ..... Gary Deak, Arcadia  
1959 ..... Eddie Bricker, Miami

Sean Renfree, the 2007 Arizona High School Quarterback of the Year, was selected by the editorial staff of the Phoenix Metro Football Magazine. Renfree guided the Saints to the 4A-2 state championship (Paynter's Pics).

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# Friday Night Heroes



Defensive lineman Jordan McDonald figures to have an outstanding senior season as the Sabercats chase their fourth consecutive state title in the 4A-1 classification (Paynter Pics).

QB .....	Chase Cartwright, Corona del Sol, 6-3, 210, Sr.	L .....	Kody Innes, Saguaro, 6-4, 280, Sr.
QB .....	Brad Heap, Mesa Mt. View, 6-3, 218, Sr.	L .....	Mo Latu, Perry, 6-2, 305, Jr.
QB .....	Colby Kirkegaard, Arcadia, 6-2, 180, Sr.	L .....	Dylan Lusk, Centennial, 6-2, 301, Sr.
QB .....	Kevin Spain, Paradise Valley, 6-2, 190, Sr.	L .....	Cy Maughmer, Apache Junction, 6-2, 285, Sr.
QB .....	Justin Sieczkowski, Seton Catholic, 6-3, 210, Sr.	L .....	Jordan McDonald, Saguaro, 6-4, 230, Sr.
RB .....	Zach Bauman, Hamilton, 5-10, 210, Sr.	L .....	Todd Peat, Corona del Sol, 6-3, 270, Jr.
RB .....	Jacom Brimhall, Mesa Mt. View, 5-7, 165, Sr.	L .....	William Poehls, Chandler, 6-7, 295, Sr.
RB .....	Dwayne Garrett, Chaparral, 6-0, 190, Sr.	L .....	Nick Rowland, Centennial, 6-4, 305, Sr.
RB .....	Michael Lange, Corona del Sol, 5-11, 195, Sr.	L .....	Blair Tushaus, Notre Dame Prep, 6-3, 275, Sr.
RB .....	Max Leonesio, Brophy Prep, 6-1, 185, Sr.	L .....	Christian Westerman, Hamilton, 6-5, 290, Jr.
RB .....	Derek Molina, Red Mountain, 5-8, 175, Sr.	LB .....	Ramon Abreu, Marcos de Niza, 5-11, 185, Sr.
RB .....	Tyree Parker, Paradise Valley, 5-10, 215, Sr.	LB .....	Austin Arias, Centennial, 6-0, 225, Sr.
RB .....	Taylor Walstad, Chandler, 6-0, 205, Sr.	LB .....	Kyle Benson, Corona del Sol, 6-3, 215, Sr.
WR .....	Jesse Brantley, Gilbert, 6-1, 190, Sr.	DB .....	Devon Carrington, Hamilton, 6-2, 200, Sr.
WR .....	Paris Clark, Desert Ridge, 6-2, 200, Jr.	DB .....	Adam Dixon, Cesar Chavez, 6-0, 180, Sr.
WR .....	Davonte Neal, Cesar Chavez, 5-11, 175, So.	DB .....	Marquis Flowers, Millennium, 6-3, 195, Sr.
WR .....	Justin Rodriguez, Marcos de Niza, 6-3, 190, Sr.	DB .....	Jourdan Grandon, Westview, 6-0, 180, Sr.
TE .....	Josh Fulton, St. Mary's, 6-4, 240, Sr.	DB .....	Randy Hale, Buckeye, 5-10, 165, Sr.
L .....	Tyler Davison, Desert Mountain, 6-2, 280, Sr.	PK .....	Matt Gulbransen, Mesa Mt. View, 6-1, 180, Sr.
L .....	Cyrus Hobbi, Saguaro, 6-4, 280, Jr.	P .....	Michael Benjamin, Basha, 6-0, 180, Sr.

# 2009 Checklist of Players

## QUARTERBACKS

Mike Bailey, Skyline, 6-3, 190, Sr.  
 Brandon Bialkowski, Gilbert, 6-1, 185, Sr.  
 Mike Boler, Camp Verde, 5-9, 180, Sr.  
 Conner Brinton, Fountain Hills, 6-0, 180, Sr.  
 Adam Bryczek, Queen Creek, 6-0, 170, Jr.  
 Wes Budge, Estrella Foothills, 6-2, 180, Sr.  
 Alex Buya, Coronado, 6-3, 185, Jr.  
 Chase Cartwright, Corona del Sol, 6-3, 210, Sr.  
 Nathaniel Causey, Gilbert, 6-3, 205, Jr.  
 Blake Comella, Bourgade, 6-1, 180, Jr.  
 Travis Dean, Hamilton, 6-0, 180, Sr.  
 Kyler Fackrell, Mesa, 6-4, 205, Sr.  
 Nick Gaylord, Williams Field, 6-1, 210, Sr.  
 Mike Golden, Sierra Linda, 5-10, 170, So.  
 Matt Groff, Prescott, 6-0, 175, Sr.  
 Nat Hall, Arizona Lutheran, 5-11, 180, Jr.  
 Steven Hansen, Mesquite, 6-0, 175, Sr.  
 Chase Harpole, Greenway, 6-0, 180, Sr.  
 Brad Heap, Mesa Mt. View, 6-3, 218, Sr.  
 J. Heim, Canyon State, 6-0, 175, Sr.  
 James Hubbard, Dysart, 5-11, 185, Sr.  
 Brett Hundley, Chandler, 6-4, 210, Jr.  
 Will King, Notre Dame, 6-5, 210, Sr.  
 Colby Kirkegaard, Arcadia, 6-2, 180, Sr.  
 Nathan La Barbera, NW Christian, 6-2, 190, Sr.  
 Ben Maraz, Sunnyslope, 6-1, 205, Jr.  
 Dain McFarland, Centennial, 6-0, 185, Sr.  
 Jordan Morgan, Valley Christian, 6-1, 198, Jr.  
 Tyler Peoples, Independence, 6-2, 170, Sr.  
 Dominic Portocarrero, N. Canyon, 5-10, 175, Jr.  
 Kevin Radcliffe, Desert Mt., 6-0, 180, Sr.  
 Brody Ray, Cactus, 5-11, 171, Sr.  
 Zach Schira, Marcos de Niza, 6-2, 180, Sr.  
 Nate Scola, Apache Junction, 5-11, 210, Sr.  
 Chad Snider, Raymond Kellis, 5-1, 185, Sr.  
 Cody Sokol, Desert Vista, 6-2, 185, Sr.  
 Kevin Spain, Paradise Valley, 6-2, 190, Sr.  
 Justin Sieczkowski, Seton Catholic, 6-3, 210, Sr.  
 Keegan Whipkey, Liberty, 6-0, 180, Sr.  
 Kyle Yount, Chandler, 6-2, 175, Sr.

## RUNNING BACKS

Michael Allen, Hamilton, 5-11, 180, Sr.  
 Blake Argo, Valley Christian, 5-7, 155, Sr.  
 Nick Arnold, Queen Creek, 5-9, 160, Sr.  
 Anders Battle, Desert Vista, 6-0, 170, Sr.  
 Addison Bare, Valley Christian, 5-9, 160, Sr.  
 Zach Bauman, Hamilton, 5-10, 210, Sr.  
 Phillip Bayus, Boulder Creek, 5-7, 165, Jr.  
 Jake Benson, Verrado, 5-10, 190, Jr.  
 Jacom Brimhall, Mesa Mt. View, 5-7, 165, Sr.  
 Tyler Brown, Sunrise Mountain, 6-1, 205, Sr.  
 Micah Butler, Salt River, 5-7, 170, Sr.  
 Jaime Castelum, Buckeye, 6-0, 200, Sr.  
 Danny Clark, Saguaro, 6-0, 215, Jr.  
 Mike Contreras, Boulder Creek, 5-7, 155, Jr.  
 Tauren Darnell, Perry, 5-10, 165, Sr.  
 Johnny Dix, Youngker, 5-11, 175, Jr.  
 Tavonn Dodson, North Canyon, 5-10, 175, Jr.  
 Mychael Eikenberry, Brad. Mt., 5-9, 220, Sr.  
 Michael Enriques, Bourgade, 5-11, 180, Sr.  
 Rafael Flores, Verrado, 5-10, 200, Sr.  
 Traveon Freeman, R. Kellis, 5-10, 175, Sr.  
 Matt Gabrielson, Valley Lutheran, 5-10, 165, Sr.  
 Dwayne Garrett, Chaparral, 6-0, 190, Sr.

## RUNNING BACKS (cont)

Valencio Gray, Westwood, 5-9, 165, Jr.  
 Jeff Haney, Liberty, 5-11, 180, Sr.  
 Beau Hilgemann, Fountain Hills, 6-1, 210, Sr.  
 Jake Hirschi, Arcadia, 5-7, 165, Sr.  
 Anthony Hughes, Centennial, 5-10, 200, Sr.  
 TiAndré Hunter, Copper Canyon, 6-1, 215, Sr.  
 Charles James, Valley Vista, 5-5, 150, Sr.  
 John Jones, South Mountain, 5-8, 170, Sr.  
 Michael Lange, Corona del Sol, 5-11, 195, Sr.  
 Max Leonesio, Brophy Prep, 6-1, 185, Sr.  
 Dylan Luther, Pinnacle, 5-11, 170, Sr.  
 Michael Macko, Estrella Foothills, 5-10, 170, Sr.  
 Joey Mancha, Prescott, 5-10, 170, Sr.  
 Hayden McClellan, Deer Valley, 5-10, 180, Sr.  
 RJ McGill, St. Mary's, 5-9, 175, Sr.  
 Jesse McGrath, Sunnyslope, 5-11, 210, Sr.  
 Donald McGruder, Glendale, 5-10, 175, Sr.  
 Derek Molina, Red Mountain, 5-8, 175, Sr.  
 Orange Mooney, St. Mary's, 5-10, 180, So.  
 Darion Murphy, T. Browne, 5-10, 190, Jr.  
 Adrian Nuanez, Sierra Linda, 5-10, 160, So.  
 Jose Palos, South Pointe, 5-10, 220, Sr.  
 Tyree Parker, Paradise Valley, 5-10, 215, Sr.  
 Preston Richardson, Mt. View, 5-8, 165, Sr.  
 Jaeln Roebuck, Tolleson, 6-1, 185, Jr.  
 Garrick Shelton, Willow Canyon, 5-6, 180, Jr.  
 Adam Siwek, Scottsdale Chr., 5-10, 175, Sr.  
 Brian Sutton, Glendale, 5-11, 185, Jr.  
 Jaleel Teener, Central, 5-10, 185, Jr.  
 Hayden Tippett, McClintock, 5-11, 215, Sr.  
 Cole Tyree, Chaparral, 5-10, 180, Sr.  
 Brandon Warren, Williams Field, 5-10, 185, Sr.  
 Taylor Walstad, Chandler, 6-0, 205, Sr.  
 Carlton Williams, Westview, 5-9, 195, Jr.  
 Allen Woods, Cactus, 6-0, 191, Sr.

## WIDE RECEIVERS

Blaze Almon, SD O'Connor, 5-10, 170, Sr.  
 Zach Awehder, Seton Catholic, 6-0, 170, Sr.  
 Shawn Bailey, South Pointe, 5-11, 185, Sr.  
 David Banks, Buckeye, 5-11, 165, Sr.  
 Kyle Benedict, Liberty, 5-10, 170, Sr.  
 K.J. Bowen, Peoria, 5-11, 175, Sr.  
 Avery Boykin, Estrella Foothills, 5-10, 170, Sr.  
 Jesse Brantley, Gilbert, 6-1, 190, Sr.  
 Billy Bushong, Copper Canyon, 6-0, 190, Sr.  
 Paris Clark, Desert Ridge, 6-2, 200, Jr.  
 Trevor Cleisner, Seton Catholic, 6-1, 175, Sr.  
 Kyle Coffee, Centennial, 5-10, 175, Sr.  
 Ryan Cowles, Thunderbird, 5-11, 180, Sr.  
 Dakota D'Angela, Desert Mt., 6-0, 180, Sr.  
 Jacob Doyle, Deer Valley, 6-0, 175, Sr.  
 Max Eller, Brophy Prep, 6-1, 185, Sr.  
 Hunter Eisenhower, SD O'Connor, 6-4, 180, Sr.  
 Kelvin Fisher, Higley, 6-0, 175, Jr.  
 James Fitzgerald, Valley Christian, 5-9, 150, Sr.  
 Javonte Fluellen, Peoria, 6-1, 190, Sr.  
 Derek Garcia, Willow Canyon, 5-10, 165, Sr.  
 Ryan Harper, Greenway, 6-2, 185, Sr.  
 Jordan Henslen, Fountain Hills, 5-11, 175, Sr.  
 Aaron Hill, Williams Field, 6-0, 170, Sr.  
 Leon May, Dysart, 6-0, 180, Sr.  
 Skyler McCurdy, Notre Dame, 5-8, 155, Sr.  
 Nate McOwen, Westview, 5-10, 160, Sr.  
 Brett Miller, Scottsdale Chr., 6-0, 175, Sr.

## WIDE RECEIVERS (cont)

Davonte Neal, Cesar Chavez, 5-11, 175, So.  
 Tevin Newell, Marcos de Niza, 6-1, 180, Sr.  
 Sam Papa, Desert Ridge, 6-3, 215, Jr.  
 Richard Parker, Basha, 6-2, 175, Sr.  
 James Reyes, Bradshaw Mt., 6-4, 175, Jr.  
 Scott Robson, Brophy Prep, 5-8, 170, Sr.  
 Justin Rodriguez, Marcos de Niza, 6-3, 190, Sr.  
 Michael Romero, Westwood, 5-8, 155, Sr.  
 Darius Ross, Glendale, 5-11, 160, Sr.  
 Anvil Sinsabaugh, Skyline, 6-3, 190, Sr.  
 Jordan Soteros, Pinnacle, 5-11, 170, Sr.  
 Francisco Tellez, Westwind, 5-10, 180, Sr.  
 Danny Trittler, Chaparral, 5-10, 185, Sr.  
 Kyle Washington, Florence, 6-1, 190, Jr.  
 Tregg Waters, St. Mary's, 6-1, 190, Sr.  
 Victor White, Independence, 5-10, 185, Sr.  
 Bryce Wood, Chandler, 6-0, 180, Sr.

## TIGHT ENDS

Charles Andrews, Desert Mt., 6-3, 235, Sr.  
 Ricky Astoria, McClintock, 6-0, 190, Sr.  
 Brandon Bourlier, Florence, 6-5, 240, Sr.  
 Zack Brown, Boulder Creek, 6-2, 215, Jr.  
 Troy Coleman, Estrella Foothills, 6-1, 180, Sr.  
 John Dillon, Basha, 6-3, 205, Sr.  
 Adrian Drew, Willow Canyon, 6-2, 200, Sr.  
 Craig Frum, Red Mountain, 6-3, 215, Sr.  
 Josh Fulton, St. Mary's, 6-4, 240, Sr.  
 Chris Imley, Skyline, 6-2, 190, Sr.  
 Jared Jones, Basha, 6-2, 205, Sr.  
 Aaron Krause, Valley Lutheran, 5-11, 190, Sr.  
 Jordan Michael, Sunrise Mt., 6-2, 225, Sr.  
 Kyle O'Brien, Valley Christian, 6-3, 190, Sr.  
 Marshall Peugh, Ironwood, 6-3, 205, Sr.  
 Eric Ramsey, Westview, 6-0, 220, Sr.  
 C.J. Randall, Mesquite, 6-5, 220, Sr.  
 Chase Richardson, Perry, 6-0, 190, Jr.  
 Alex Schwindt, North Canyon, 6-1, 210, Sr.  
 Wes Sorenson, Shadow Mountain, 6-4, 200, Jr.  
 A.J. Steimel, Brophy Prep, 6-3, 235, Sr.  
 Colton Winward, Mesa Mt. View, 6-3, 200, Sr.

## LINEMEN

Brian Aberle, McClintock, 6-0, 205, Sr.  
 Haisaun Adams, Peoria, 6-1, 200, Sr.  
 Mike Akins, Mesa Mt. View, 6-4, 241, Sr.  
 Keith Andreas, Salt River, 6-4, 290, Sr.  
 Sergio Arocha, Coronado, 6-1, 220, Sr.  
 Cameron Bailey, Shadow Mt., 6-4, 240, Jr.  
 Joel Ballew, Valley Christian, 6-3, 240, Sr.  
 Devin Begay, Bradshaw Mt., 6-0, 230, Sr.  
 Eric Benitez, Cesar Chavez, 6-2, 260, Sr.  
 Patrick Blanar, Cactus, 6-3, 283, Sr.  
 Tyler Bode, Fountain Hills, 6-7, 290, Jr.  
 Arturo Borrego, South Pointe, 6-5, 275, Jr.  
 Layne Bourgeois, Queen Creek, 6-4, 250, Sr.  
 Brennan Bowen, Westview, 6-0, 265, Jr.  
 Adam Braslawsee, B. Goldwater, 5-9, 230, Sr.  
 Preston Brooksly, Sunrise Mt., 6-5, 260, Sr.  
 Chris Brown, Skyline, 6-4, 300, Sr.;  
 AJ Cavazos, Apollo, 6-0, 220, Sr.  
 Edgar Chavez, Youngker, 5-10, 205, Jr.  
 Hector Colunga, Florence, 6-1, 210, Sr.  
 Rob Dalton, Mesquite, 6-2, 190, Sr.  
 Devin Dashnaw, Willow Canyon, 6-7, 315, Sr.



**Here's an all-star matchup – Hamilton's Christian Westerman (75) attempts to block Centennial's Jimmie Lewis (16), who earned All-Arizona honors as a defensive lineman a year ago (Paynter's Pics).**

#### LINEMEN (cont)

M. Davis, Canyon State, 6-2, 220, Sr.  
Tyler Davison, Desert Mountain, 6-2, 280, Sr.  
Jordan Davy, Higley, 5-10, 200, Sr.  
Mike Dewitt, Moon Valley, 5-11, 200, Sr.  
JP Dyament, Corona del Sol, 6-3, 235, Sr.  
Francis Eusebio, Scottsdale Chr., 6-2, 225, Sr.  
Jordan Faenza, Youngker, 6-1, 195, Jr.  
Cole Ficklin, Red Mountain, 6-4, 250, Sr.  
Roger Frost, Santa Cruz, 6-0, 175, Sr.  
Roy Garcia, Marcos de Niza, 6-2, 250, Sr.  
Justin Gardner, Basha, 6-2, 275, Sr.  
Nathan Geyer, Camp Verde, 6-0, 215, Sr.  
Jabril Gipson, McClintock, 5-10, 240, Jr.  
Javier Gonzalez, Mesa, 5-11, 230, Sr.  
Robert Green, South Mountain, 6-0, 340, Sr.  
Logan Guess, Verrado, 6-2, 230, Sr.  
Cody Harris, Dysart, 6-1, 265, Jr.  
Jordan Hines, NW Christian, 6-4, 294, Sr.  
Logan Hines, NW Christian, 6-3, 287, Sr.  
Cyrus Hobbi, Saguaro, 6-4, 280, Jr.  
Joe Hoff, Red Mountain, 5-8, 195, Sr.  
Kyle Homewood, Corona del Sol, 6-3, 235, Sr.  
Tevin Hood, Hamilton, 6-1, 290, Sr.  
Stepha Hughes, Apache Junction, 6-1, 195, Sr.  
Kody Innes, Saguaro, 6-4, 280, Sr.  
Hank Jenkins, Brophy Prep, 6-0, 260, Sr.  
Jonathan Johnson, South Mountain, 6-2, 250, Sr.  
Zac Jubie, Corona del Sol, 6-2, 260, Sr.  
Mo Latu, Perry, 6-2, 305, Jr.  
Travis Lavine, Westwind, 6-2, 195, Jr.  
Jeremy Leon, Arizona Lutheran, 5-11, 230, Sr.  
Kyle Lillie, Valley Vista, 6-3, 277, Sr.  
Daniel Limon, Tolleson, 6-5, 280, Sr.  
Mario Lugo, Boulder Creek, 5-10, 210, Sr.  
Dylan Lusk, Centennial, 6-2, 301, Sr.  
Connor Magness, Thunderbird, 6-1, 200, Jr.  
Brandon Martin, Thunderbird, 6-1, 240, Jr.  
Victor Martinez, Tolleson, 5-10, 250, Sr.  
Cy Maughmer, Apache Junction, 6-2, 285, Sr.  
Jordan McDonald, Saguaro, 6-4, 230, Sr.  
Kevin McDonald, Seton Catholic, 6-1, 259, Jr.  
Andre Midence, Williams Field, 6-2, 240, Sr.  
Sam Montini, Sunnyslope, 5-11, 195, Sr.  
Chris Mundstock, AZ Lutheran, 6-3, 210, Sr.

#### LINEMEN (cont)

Junior Nieves, Centennial, 6-3, 306, Sr.  
Dallas Noriega, Saguaro, 6-0, 250, Jr.  
Michael Pacuk, Gilbert, 5-11, 190, Sr.  
Mike Pawloski, Greenway, 6-3, 305, Sr.  
Todd Peat, Corona del Sol, 6-3, 270, Jr.  
Jake Phipps, Red Mountain, 6-1, 200, Sr.  
William Poehls, Chandler, 6-7, 295, Sr.  
AJ Porras, Higley, 6-3, 220, Sr.  
Brandon Rediger, Westview, 6-2, 220, Sr.  
Billy Rono, Marcos de Niza, 6-4, 295, Sr.  
Nick Rowland, Centennial, 6-4, 305, Sr.  
Dallas Sandberg, Bradshaw Mt., 6-5, 300, Sr.  
Antwuon Sanders, North Canyon, 6-0, 255, Sr.  
Osej Serratos, Trevor Browne, 6-0, 250, Sr.  
Kavion Thomas, Central, 6-1, 245, Sr.  
Michael Toth, Camp Verde, 5-8, 180, Sr.  
Blair Tushaus, Notre Dame Prep, 6-3, 275, Sr.  
Jr. Vicente, Prescott, 6-0, 255, Sr.  
Marcus Waldron, Westwind, 6-0, 260, Jr.  
Patrick Ward, South Mountain, 6-6, 285, Sr.  
Cyrus Way, Paradise Valley, 6-0, 230, Sr.  
Michael Weikamp, Bourgade, 6-3, 210, Sr.  
Christian Westerman, Hamilton, 6-5, 290, Jr.  
Christian Williams, Cactus, 6-2, 267, Sr.  
Taylor Wood, Red Mountain, 6-2, 230, Sr.

#### LINEBACKERS

Ramon Abreu, Marcos de Niza, 5-11, 185, Sr.  
Austin Arias, Centennial, 6-0, 225, Sr.  
Kyle Benson, Corona del Sol, 6-3, 215, Sr.  
Jake Brown, Paradise Valley, 5-11, 220, Sr.  
Cade Clemons, Florence, 5-11, 190, Jr.  
TJ Brown, Coronado, 5-11, 190, Sr.  
Dylan Contreras, Peoria, 6-1, 220, Jr.  
Austin Cook, Valley Lutheran, 6-0, 225, Sr.  
Ricky Cortez, Santa Cruz, 6-0, 225, Jr.  
DeAndre Daniels, Deer Valley, 6-0, 190, Sr.  
Cora Deal, Moon Valley, 5-9, 185, Sr.  
JD Distor, Pinnacle, 5-8, 185, Sr.  
Terry Eytchesen, Apache Junction, 5-6, 185, Sr.  
Austin Garday, Centennial, 6-0, 209, Sr.  
Raney Gomez, Moon Valley, 5-8, 170, Sr.  
Sammu Guerrero, Buckeye, 5-11, 180, Sr.  
Brock Haman, Saguaro, 6-3, 225, Jr.

Major Harris, Santa Cruz, 6-0, 250, Sr.  
Joredan Hlebak, Cesar Chavez, 6-0, 230, Sr.  
Andrew Hurley, Pinnacle, 6-2, 205, Sr.  
Anthony Kereluk, Desert Vista, 5-10, 215, Sr.  
Dylan Koch, Williams Field, 5-11, 200, Sr.  
Sam Kuutea, South Mountain, 5-11, 205, Sr.  
Damon Lacey, Copper Canyon, 6-0, 215, Sr.  
Cody Lambson, B. Goldwater, 5-9, 180, Sr.  
Luis Lopez, Salt River, 5-11, 195, Jr.  
Connor McClain, Arcadia, 5-10, 200, Sr.  
Dallas Nichols, Central, 6-1, 190, Jr.  
Travis Ramirez, Paradise Valley, 6-0, 225, Sr.  
Kellen Rodriguez, Sierra Linda, 5-11, 165, So.  
M. Sanders, Canyon State, 5-10, 200, Sr.  
Pat Schrimsher, Arcadia, 5-11, 205, Sr.  
Josh Sydzyk, Cactus, 6-2, 228, Sr.  
C.J. Williams, Florence, 5-10, 200, So.  
Brandon Witkowski, Deer Valley, 5-11, 185, Sr.

#### DEFENSIVE BACKS

Colton Anderson, Coronado, 5-10, 155, Sr.  
Peter Baroldy, Thunderbird, 6-1, 190, Sr.  
Patrick Browne, Tolleson, 5-10, 190, Sr.  
Anthony Bugayorg, Ironwood, 5-10, 180, Sr.  
Emmanuel Caro del Castillo, Hig., 5-8, 160, Sr.  
Devon Carrington, Hamilton, 6-2, 200, Sr.  
Adam Dixon, Cesar Chavez, 6-0, 180, Sr.  
James Edwards, Cesar Chavez, 5-10, 175, Sr.  
Chris Finley, Camelback, 5-9, 181, Sr.  
GeAunte Fisher, Valley Vista, 5-10, 180, Sr.  
Marquis Flowers, Millennium, 6-3, 195, Sr.  
Ben Gardner, Camelback, 5-10, 180, Sr.  
Jordan Geitz, Notre Dame, 5-11, 180, Sr.  
Dak Gift, Desert Ridge, 6-0, 185, Sr.  
Jourdan Grandon, Westview, 6-0, 180, Sr.  
Jaymen Green, Mesa, 5-8, 150, Sr.  
Aaron Gronwald, Prescott, 5-11, 160, Sr.  
Randy Hale, Buckeye, 5-10, 165, Sr.  
Bobby Hodge, Ironwood, 5-11, 185, Sr.  
Ian Juede, Shadow Mt., 5-8, 175, Jr.  
Ross Luther, Brophy Prep, 5-9, 175, Sr.  
Jereme Morris, Chandler, 5-9, 175, Sr.  
Scott Nichols, Sunrise Mountain, 5-10, 180, Sr.  
Cedric Parker, Hamilton, 6-0, 170, Jr.  
Matt Perez, Barry Goldwater, 5-11, 180, Sr.  
Daniel Rankin, Greenway, 6-3, 190, Sr.  
Ryne Rezal, Desert Vista, 5-8, 170, Sr.  
David Robles, Trevor Browne, 5-8, 160, Jr.  
Kyran Smith, Apollo, 5-9, 168, Sr.  
Braden Sparks, Apollo, 5-9, 167, Sr.  
Darren Spencer, Ironwood, 6-1, 195, Sr.  
Billy Sueing, Westwood, 5-9, 160, Jr.  
Colby Targun, Chaparral, 5-10, 180, Jr.  
Kyle Tokasey, Desert Mt., 6-0, 170, Sr.  
Steven Trujillo, Peoria, 6-0, 170, Sr.  
Tyler Vache, Independence, 5-10, 170, Sr.  
Devon Villarreal, Notre Dame, 5-11, 215, Sr.  
Marcus Wilkins, Queen Creek, 6-0, 180, Sr.  
Cole Zurek, Chaparral, 6-0, 185, Sr.

#### KICKERS/PUNTERS

Michael Benjamin, Basha, 6-0, 180, Sr.  
Brandon Christie, Gilbert, 5-11, 160, Sr.  
Alex Garoutte, Brophy Prep, 6-2, 190, Sr.  
Matt Gulbransen, Mesa Mt. View, 6-1, 180, Sr.  
Erik Sidney, Raymond Kellis, 6-2, 185, Sr.

# ARIZONA'S RUNNING BACK OF THE YEAR

Jamal Miles of Peoria  
2008 Running Back of the Year

2008 .....Jamal Miles, Peoria  
2007 .....Ray Polk, Brophy Prep  
2006 .....Prince Amukamara, Apollo  
2005 .....Kyle Williams, Chaparral  
2004 .....Matt Clapp, Paradise Valley  
2003 .....Keegan Herring, Peoria (jr)  
2002 .....Marcus Thomas, Tolleson  
2001 .....Randy Hill, McClintock  
2000 .....Mike Bell, Tolleson  
1999 .....Terrell Suggs, Hamilton  
1998 .....Bobby Wade, Desert Vista  
1997 .....Nathan Wize, Sabino  
1996 .....Kyran Jones, Peoria (jr)  
1995 .....Mike Brown, Scottsdale Saguaro  
1994 .....Tavon Cooper, Peoria  
1993 .....Robert Holcombe, Mesa  
1992 .....Mike Mitchell, Brophy Prep  
1991 .....Chris Hopkins, Salpointe  
1990 .....Mario Bates, Amphitheater  
1989 .....Brian Drew, McClintock  
1988 .....Michael Bates, Amphitheater  
1987 .....Kevin Galbreath, Maryvale  
1986 .....Reggie McGill, St. Mary's  
1985 .....Cleveland Colter, Jr., McClintock  
1984 .....David Winsley, Flagstaff (jr)  
1983 .....Paul Kasprzyk, Mesa Mountain View

1982 .....Glenn Rogers, Agua Fria  
1981 .....Stan Gill, Flagstaff  
1980 .....Fred Sims, Sunnyside  
1979 .....Fred Sims, Sunnyside (jr)  
1978 .....Mike Cade, Santa Cruz  
1977 .....Alvin Moore, Coolidge  
1976 .....Willard Reeves, Coconino  
1975 .....Brian Felix, Phoenix Union  
1974 .....David Mitchell, St. Mary's (jr)  
1973 .....Ronnie Bonner, Westwood (jr)  
1972 .....Jesse Parker, Rincon  
1971 .....Manuel Jones, Phoenix Union  
1970 .....Don Washington, Agua Fria (jr)  
1969 .....Benny Malone, Santa Cruz  
1968 .....Joe Petroshus, Tucson  
1967 .....Tim Smith, St. Mary's  
1966 .....Bob Soza, Westwood  
1965 .....Art Malone, Santa Cruz  
1964 .....Leroy Peoples, Marana  
1963 .....James Dugan, Flagstaff  
1962 .....Everett "Moose" Rollins, Arcadia  
1961 .....Andy Livingston, Mesa  
1960 .....Jim Sims, Tucson  
1959 .....Bob Olson, South Mountain  
1958 .....Lewis Albright, Scottsdale  
1957 .....Clay Freney, Globe

Jamal Miles, the 2008 Arizona High School Running Back of the Year, was selected by the editorial staff of the Phoenix Metro Football Magazine (Paynter's Pics).

# KUKULSKI BROTHERS SALUTES THE COUNTY PLAYERS OF THE YEAR FOR...

## COCHISE

2008...DeAndre Little (LB), Buena  
2007...Jamal Womble (RB), Buena  
2006...Jamal Womble (RB), Buena

## PINAL

2008...Shane McCullen (RB), Apache Jct.  
2007...Shane McCullen (RB), Apache Jct.  
2006...Jesse Wheeler (QB), Coolidge

## YAVAPAI

2008...Tony Vocca (QB), Mingus  
2007...Layton Dickerson (RB), Mingus  
2006...Layton Dickerson (RB), Mingus

Athletes from Benson, Bisbee, Bowie-San Simon, Buena, Douglas, St. David, Tombstone, Valley Union and Willcox High Schools are eligible for this award.

Athletes from Apache Junction, Casa Grande, Coolidge, Florence, Maricopa, San Manuel and Superior High Schools are eligible for this award.

Athletes from Ash Fork, Bagdad, Bradshaw Mountain, Camp Verde, Chino Valley, Mayer, Mingus, Prescott, Sedona Red Rock and Selligman High Schools are eligible for this award.

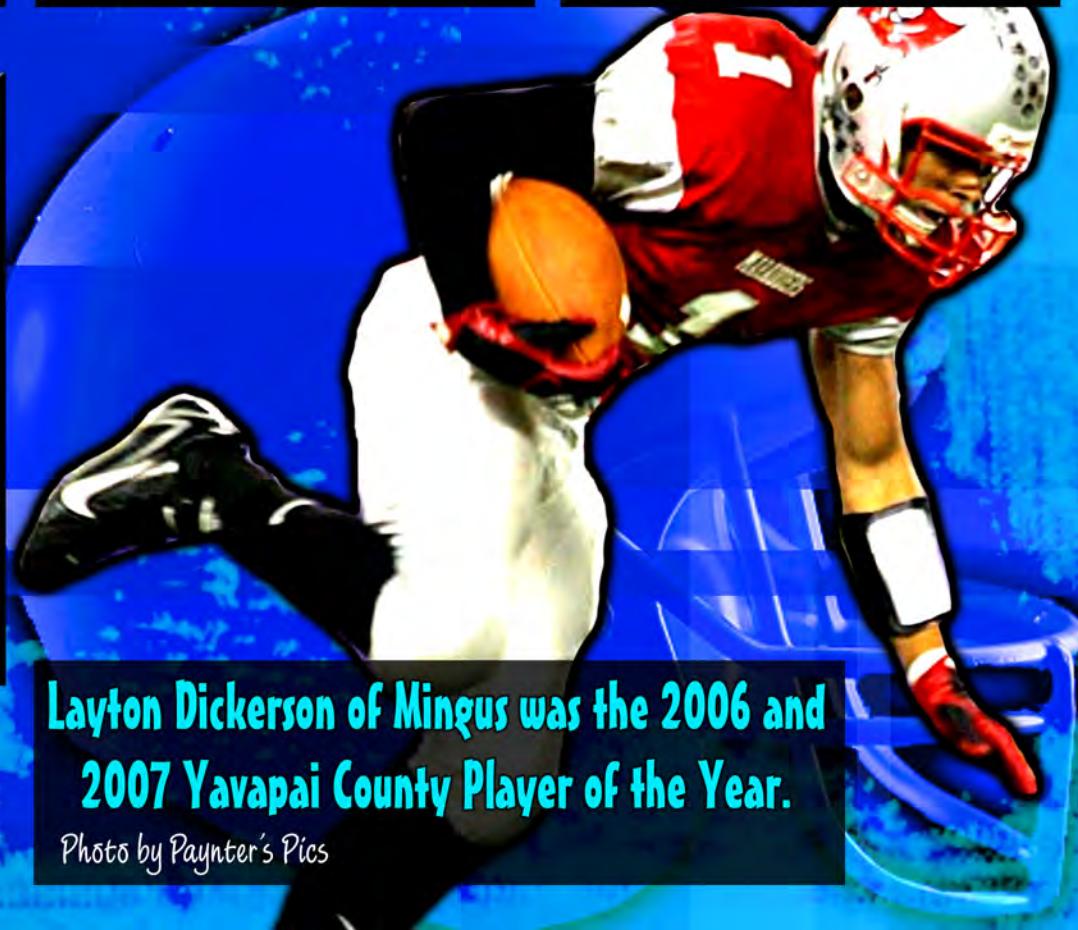
## YUMA

2008...Matt Inman (QB), Yuma Catholic  
2007...Matt Inman (QB), Yuma Catholic  
2006...Brandon Hall (RB), Cibola

Athletes from Antelope, Cibola, Gila Ridge, Kofa, San Luis, Yuma Catholic and Yuma High Schools are eligible for this award.

Layton Dickerson of Mingus was the 2006 and 2007 Yavapai County Player of the Year.

Photo by Paynter's Pics



# Hamilton, Corona del Sol, Brophy Prep

## Three to Beat in 5A-1 Competition



*Not a fun proposition for Hamilton Husky foes – to stop a speedy back like Zach Bauman (34) running behind an All-Arizona offensive lineman like Christian Westerman (75). Good luck! (Paynter's Pics)*

Well, not a whole lot changed in 2008! The Hamilton Huskies and the Brophy Broncos continued their domination of "big school" football, meeting in the 5A-1 finale.

Hamilton walked away with the crown last year. Brophy in 2007. Hamilton in 2006. Brophy in 2005. Hamilton in 2004. Hamilton in 2003.

What will 2009 bring? Can Corona,

Chandler, Red Mountain or maybe Mountain View dethrone these two powerhouses?

The favorite has to be HAMILTON. Coach Steve Belles returns 31 lettermen, including 13 starters, from last year's 13-1 title team. Overall, Belles is 38-3 in his three years at the helm for the Huskies.

Senior Devon Carrington (6-2, 200), senior Zach Bauman (5-10, 210) and jun-

ior Christian Westerman (6-5, 290) are top-flight performers.

Carrington is a very highly-rated strong safety who has given Stanford University an oral commitment to attend school and play football beginning next fall. He'll definitely lead the Hamilton defense this year.

Bauman is a hard-nosed running back who – barring injury – figures to put

some big rushing numbers on the board this fall.

Westerman could very well become the most highly recruited offensive linemen in the history of our state. He's a remarkable player who has impressed so many people in his short prep career. When Westerman signs a letter of intent in 2011, it'll be a happy day for some college coach.

Others to watch among the 13 returning regulars are RB Michael Allen (5-11, 180, Sr.), DL Tevin Hood (6-1, 290, Sr.), QB Travis Dean (6-0, 180, Sr.), DB Cedric Parker (6-0, 170, Jr.), WR Steven Hansen (5-9, 170, Sr.), OL Gerard Ingallina (6-1, 245, Sr.), OL Justin LaLonde (6-0, 235, Sr.), S/LB Tyler Rutt (6-0, 190, Jr.), WR Ethan Kipili (6-0, 170, Sr.) and LB/P Ben Peters (6-2, 220, Sr.).

Coach Gary Venturo has spent 23 years as the head coach at **CORONA DEL SOL**. On paper, he has an excellent team this year!

It all starts with Chase Cartwright, a 6-3, 210-pound senior who excels at quarterback and defensive back. Cartwright should be among the elite signal-callers in the state this year.

He'll have honors candidate Michael Lange (5-11, 195), Alan Stitt (5-10, 170) and Austin Crothers (5-10, 175) to carry the pigskin, while the versatile Kyle Benson (6-3, 215, Sr.) should be a good target at tight end.

Benson is better known for his superior work at linebacker, where he helped guide the Aztecs to a 9-3 record in 2008. Other receivers include Billy Johnson (5-10, 160), Chris Owan (5-10, 160), Stone Letoi (5-10, 165), Jake Buntrock (6-1, 175) and Josh Von Wallwordan (6-3, 170).

There's also plenty of muscle in the trenches, namely Todd Peat (6-3, 270), JP Dyament (6-3, 235), Kyle Homewood (6-3, 235), Zac Jubie (6-2, 260), Grant Shidawara (5-10, 230), Andre Lepe (6-1, 210) and Mark Kinney (6-1, 190).

Von Wallwordan will handle the kicking chores.

Head coach Scooter Molander really has **BROPHY PREP** on a roll. In fact, his 45-10 mark over four years (with two state crowns) is unparalleled in school history. The Broncos finished 11-4 in 2008.

If senior scatback Max Leonesio (6-1, 185) has anything to say about it, more success is just around the corner. In a rebuilding year, Leonesio ran wild, accounting for nearly 2,100 yards and 25 TDs last time out.

Additional skill-position players back in uniform include TE A.J. Steimel (6-3, 235), WR Scott Robson (5-8, 170), WR

Max Eller (6-1, 185) and S/K Alex Garoutte (6-2, 190) – all seniors.

The leader in the offensive front is center Hank Jenkins, a 6-0, 260-pound bruiser. Coach Molander will have Brophy in the hunt again this season.

**CHANDLER** has been right on the edge of becoming one of the state's elite teams in recent years. Will this be the year Coach Jim Ewan and his Wolves reach the title game or even win it all? Could be, but that's why we play the games!

Headliners include RB Taylor Walstad (6-0, 205) and OT William Poehls (6-7, 295) – both seniors. Walstad has given ASU a verbal commitment to continue his education and athletic career in Tempe, while Poehls finished fourth in the state heavyweight wrestling championships last year.

But the task at hand for both standouts is to help lead Chandler to a run deep into the playoffs in the months ahead. And they'll have plenty of help.

Either senior Kyle Young (6-2, 175) or junior Brett Hundley (6-4, 210) will direct the offensive attack. Both are capable signal callers. The most polished receivers appear to be seniors Jereme Morris (5-9, 175) and Bryce Wood (6-0, 180).

Ammon Samia (5-11, 225, Sr.), Dallas Lopez (6-1, 215, Sr.) and C.J. Dickerson (6-2, 250, Sr.) will assist Poehls in the line, while the linebacking corps will feature Brandon Zaralos (6-0, 210, Sr.), Andrew Mascara (6-2, 195, Sr.) and Declan Wall (6-2, 195, Sr.).

Morris and Wood will be key factors in the secondary.

Another East Valley school – **RED MOUNTAIN** – is certainly worth watching. It's true the Mountain Lions were down a bit last year (7-6), but Coach Jim Jones has a talented and deep senior class on hand as the '09 season begins.

An amazing 45 letterwinners return from last year's varsity. And graduates from an undefeated JV (8-0) are also ready for the challenges ahead.

Super-quick RB Derek Molina, a 5-8, 175-pound senior, is a playmaker. He should be among the very best rushers again this year. His backfield mates will be FB Ben Betz (6-1, 230), RB Dominic Smith (5-10, 180), RB David Barragan (5-10, 170), QB John O'Connor (6-3, 175) and RB Corey Martinez (5-10, 175).

Tight end Craig Frum (6-3, 215) and WR Ian McFadden (6-0, 180) lead a fine crop of receivers, which also includes TE Jason Lane (5-11, 175), WR Aaron Palmera (5-11, 170), WR Tony Navarette (6-1, 165), TE Austin Reinholtz (6-0, 175), TE Andrew Holden (6-0, 185), WR Nick Fraser (6-0, 165) and WR Nick Griffin (5-0, 170).

The dominant players up front figure to be OG/DL Taylor Wood (6-2, 230), DL Jake Phipps (6-4, 220), OL/LB Evan Nienas (6-1, 200), OL/DL Joe Hoff (5-8, 195), OL Cole Ficklin (6-4, 250), OL Chris Hayes (6-1, 240), DL Jerrell Porter (5-10, 230), OL Justin Sinsabaugh (5-11, 200), OL Matt Greb (6-0, 220), OL Diego Ortiz (6-0, 200) and OL/DL Ryan Collins (6-0, 195).



**Brophy's Max Leonesio (23)** gains some yardage against Bishop Gorman High in last year's Sollenberger Classic at the University of Phoenix Stadium (Paynter's Pics). The game matched defending state champions from Arizona and Nevada.

## Phoenix Metro 5A-1 Top 15

- 1) Hamilton Huskies .....**Five State Crowns in Seven Years?**
- 2) Corona del Sol Aztecs .....**Cartwright, Benson, Lange, Peat Shine**
- 3) Brophy Broncos .....**TB Leonesio Big-Time Talent**
- 4) Chandler Wolves .....**Walstad, Poehls Duo Vital for Coach Ewan**
- 5) Red Mountain Lions .....**Speedy Derek Molina Player to Watch**
- 6) Mountain View Toros .....**Gulbransen, Brimhall, Heap Super**
- 7) Desert Vista Thunder .....**25 Lettermen Back from 8-3 2008 Team**
- 8) Basha Bears .....**Coach McBurney Now 38-19 at Basha**
- 9) Gilbert Tigers .....**Strong Passing Game**
- 10) Cesar Chavez Champions .....**Speedy, Talented, Fun to Watch**
- 11) Desert Ridge Jaguars .....**Papa, Clark, Pantastico and More**
- 12) Mountain Ridge Mt. Lions .....**Battling for Playoff Seeding**
- 13) North Canyon Rattlers .....**Nine Returning Regulars for Coach Cole**
- 14) Mesa Jackrabbits .....**Coach Moore With Solid Senior Class**
- 15) St. Mary's Knights .....**Fulton Shows the Way**

Kicker Ryan Falk (5-11, 180) is a valuable weapon, while LB James Teets (6-0, 180), LB Kyle Hagberg (6-0, 180), LB Chris Vilan (5-11, 175), DB Angel Beltran (5-10, 160), DB Chris Ruffing (5-10, 170), LB Jared Hutzler (6-0, 180) should be heavy contributors on the defensive side of the ball.

Coach Tom Joseph has a good group at MOUNTAIN VIEW as the Toros prepare for the 2009 campaign. After all, Mountain View did win 12 of 13 last year and Joseph welcomes back 34 lettermen from that club. Joseph now sports a brilliant 79-13 record in his eight years at MVHS.

Joseph is expecting major contributions from K Matt Gulbransen (6-1, 180, Sr.), RB Jacom Brimhall (5-7, 165), QB Brad Heap (6-3, 218), TE Colton Winward (6-3, 200) and RB Preston Richardson (5-8, 165).

Brimhall just might be one of the best rushers in the state, while Heap's development at quarterback will be very interesting to watch.

Also, watch for DT Mike Akins (6-4, 240), C Jackson Halm (5-11, 218), WR/DB Jordan Hinton (6-2, 183), LB Alex Martinez (5-9, 195) and OG Chase Mullenaux (5-9, 180) to have their moments in '09.

Gone are the likes of Devon Kennard, Marcus Washington, Cole Pembroke, Danny Mullarkey, Casey Bolina and friends at DESERT VISTA, where Coach Dan Hinds has the Thunder pointing towards the 2009 campaign.

It's true a great deal of talent has departed via graduation, but DVHS should be fine. Twenty-five lettermen are back from a good 8-3 team.

Foremost among the returnees are RB/DB Anders Battle, (6-0, 170), RB/LB Anthony Kereluk (5-10, 215), QB Cody Sokol (6-2, 185), WR/DB Ryne Rezal (5-8, 170) and OL/DL Mike Flaster (6-2, 225) – all seniors.

BASHA will be looking to rebound to its 2006 form, when the Bears advanced to the 5A-1 state semifinals. Coach Tim McBurney's guys were a respectable 6-5 last year, but are working for even better results. Twenty-six letterwinners return and graduates of a 7-2 JV are also available.

The versatile Michael Benjamin (6-0, 180, Sr.) will certainly help. He'll see playing time at quarterback, placekicker, punter and free safety.

Other seniors of note are OT/DT Justin Gardner (6-2, 275), TE/LB Jared Jones (6-2, 205), WR/CB Richard Parker (6-2, 175), TE/DE John Dillon (6-3, 205), OT/DT Brandon Williams (6-3, 285), OG/DT Cody Roberts (6-0, 210), OG/DT Jake Smith (5-10, 205), HB Lucas Guevara (5-8, 165), WR/CB Dillon Sterling (5-9, 170), WR/DB Terry Perkins (5-10, 175), OT/DT Roger Freed (6-4, 260), TE/QB/LB John Falcione (6-0, 190) and OG/DE Semisi Sekona (6-2, 240).

Eleventh-graders vying for regular status include TE/LB Zach Williams (6-3, 205), OT/DT Nate Gardner (6-4, 235), WR/QB/FS Dejon Walker (6-3, 200), WR/DB Clay Kanger (6-0, 175) and Dhane Cumberland (6-3, 235).

Coach Dan Dunn returns to GILBERT after a lengthy absence. He inherits a team with some definite possibilities. A couple of Tigers – Nathaniel Causey (6-3, 205, Jr.) and Brandon Bialkowski (6-1, 185, Sr.) – will compete for the top job at quar-

terback. Possibly the best of the returnees is wideout Jesse Brantley, a 6-1, 190-pounder who won all-state recognition last year.

Only five lettermen are back, but Gilbert has good athletes and should at least approach last year's 7-4 ledger. Dunn likes what he sees from C/NG Michael Pacuk (5-11, 190), TE/DE Spencer Calahan (6-2, 210), WR/DB/P/K Brandon Christie (5-11, 160), RB/OLB Dylan Verry (5-9, 170), TE/ILB Chase Powers (6-0, 185), OL/DL Thor Conway (6-2, 205), RB/DB Derek McDaniel (5-8, 150), OL/LB Zack Mendez (5-11, 185) and OL/DL Jake Setzer (6-0, 175) – all seniors.

It has been a while since a West Valley school has taken a serious run at the "big school" championship, although both Centennial and Westview are powerhouses at the 5A-2 level.

Coach Jim Rattay and his CESAR CHAVEZ Champions are becoming competitive at the 5A-1 Division. He certainly has some great athletes who figure to get better and better.

The CCHS secondary features sophomore Davonte Neal (5-11, 175), senior Adam Dixon (6-0, 180), senior James Edwards (5-10, 175), junior Matt Ruiz (6-0, 180), senior Kimontae Thomas (5-11, 170) and junior Chevyn Bryant (6-1, 180, Jr.).

On the other side of the football, Neal, Dixon and Edwards are Rattay's biggest gamebreakers. Despite being so young, Neal is already a polished receiver, while Dixon and Edwards are skilled ballcarriers.

A total of 25 letterwinners are still available from last year's 7-4 club. Here's some of the better returnees: MLB Jordan Hleback (6-0, 230, Sr.), OL/DL Eric Benitez (6-2, 260, Sr.), RB/MG Junior Walden (5-11, 200, Sr.), ILB Cameron Jackman (6-0, 200, Sr.), OL/DL Juan Burciaga (6-3, 280, Sr.), OL/DL Ewuare Webb (6-2, 240, Sr.), QB Joseph Raja ((6-2, 190, Jr.), OL/DL Stevie Carr (6-2, 285, Sr.), QB Jaron Templeton (6-0, 185, Jr.), OL/DL Jacob Hernandez (6-0, 215, Sr.) and OL Fernando Gutierrez (6-1, 275, Sr.).

DESERT RIDGE is moving up to compete in the 5A-1 Division. The Jaguars had produced solid results for several years at 5A-2, but Coach Jeremy Hathcock and team must really step up their game.

DRHS finished 8-4 last year and seven starters return from that outfit. Three of those players are particularly important and could earn a number of individual honors.

Senior QB Kevin Pantastico (6-1, 180)

will need to do a good job of getting the pigskin to junior wide receivers Sam Papa (6-3, 215) and Paris Clark (6-2, 200). This trio will also see action on defense – Papa at linebacker, Pantastico and Clark in the secondary.

Other mainstays for Coach Hathcock are LB/SS Dak Gift (6-0, 185), C/DL Jared Weverstad (6-3, 275), OG Juan Barron (6-6 305) and FS Zack Finch (6-0, 170) – all seniors.

Another team which recently made the leap from 5A-2 to 5A-1 is **NORTH CANYON**, where Coach Brian Cole is starting his seventh year on the job. The Rattlers are adjusting just fine. Case in point – back-to-back records of 8-3.

The duo of DL Antwuon Sanders (6-0, 255, Sr.) and QB/DB Dominic Portocarrero (5-10, 175, Jr.) provides quite a punch. Sanders has recorded 16 sacks heading into his final campaign for the Rattlers. Portocarrero has passed for 2,300 yards and 24 touchdowns with only 10 interceptions. He has also run for another 600 yards and 14 scores.

And there's still more talent; keep your eye on RB/DB Tavonn Dodson (5-10, 175, Jr.), DL Zach Ewan (5-10, 230, Jr.), LB Will Cranmer (5-11, 200, Sr.), OL Rick Shearer (6-0, 225, Sr.), OL Brandon Coston (6-2, 260, Sr.), DL Brandon Jaffe (5-11, 210, Jr.), LB James Ley (5-11, 225, Jr.), OL Dylan Flear (6-1, 215, Sr.), OL Stephen Montgomery (6-2, 265, Sr.) and WR/DB Christian Shafer (5-10, 180, Sr.).

**MESA** could make some noise in 2009, under the able leadership of Coach Kelley Moore. Although the Jackrabbits were a modest 6-5 last year, Moore does have 21 varsity returnees.

He anticipates his best performers will be QB Kyler Fackrell (6-4, 205), DT Javier Gonzalez (5-11, 230), SS Jaymen Green (5-8, 150), FB Devontae Kellybrow (5-11, 200), OLB Kolter Anderson (6-3, 210), CB Ely Lozano (5-11, 165), Eric McNeil (6-0, 160), K/P Tyler Ryan (6-0, 165), OT Dallin

King (6-4, 235), OG Robert Bausick (5-9, 220) and OG Iutalanoa Toutoi (5-9, 245) – all seniors.

If you want to see a great tight end play this season, you'll need to get out to a **ST. MARY'S** game. Although the Knights aren't favored to take state honors, senior TE/DE Josh Fulton (6-4, 240) will be among the state's finest individual players. He's committed to play for ASU next year. Fulton has good hands, runs solid routes and possesses 4.8 speed.

Coach Eddy Zubey hopes to parlay 15 starters (in addition to Fulton) into a winning season. St. Mary's was 3-7 last fall in Zubey's first year on the job.

Lending a hand will be RB/DB RJ McGill (5-9, 175, Sr.), WR/DB Tregg Waters (6-1, 190, Sr.), RB/DB Orange Mooney (5-10, 180, So.), OL Diego Arriaga (6-0, 260, Sr.), DL Kameron Gregory (6-1, 260, Sr.), OL Tommy Apodaca (6-2, 275, Jr.), WR/DB Patrick Barefield (5-8, 155, Jr.) and RB/DB LaRon Tarkington (5-9, 175, So.).

This is a team with an exceptional player and plenty of young talent with good speed.

This year **SKYLINE** is joining its fellow Mesa schools in the 5A-1 ranks, after participating in 5A-2 football for several years. We think the Coyotes will be fine. Coach Peter Jonovich has 17 varsity vets back from his 8-4 squad of a year ago.

Skyline has really good size in the likes of two-way linemen Chris Brown (6-4, 300, Sr.), John Whitfield (5-10, 240, Sr.), Colton Langenwaller (5-11, 230, Sr.) and Justin Appie (6-3, 255, Jr.).

Manning the skill positions are QB Mike Bailey (6-3, 190, Sr.), RB/K Shane Oiler (5-10, 190, Sr.), RB/DB DJ Neal (5-10, 200, Jr.), WR/DB Anvil Sinsabaugh (6-3, 190, Sr.), and TE/LB Clint Imlay (6-2, 190, Sr.).

Mike Reardon is still working hard at **MESQUITE**, as he attempts to turn the Wildcats into a football power. He'll wel-

come back a strong defense this year, since nine starters return. Improving on last season's 2-8 mark will be the top priority.

Headliners should include TE/DE C.J. Randall (6-5, 220), DE/LB Rob Dalton (6-2, 190), QB Steven Hansen (6-0, 175), RB/LB Maka Taufa (5-10, 230), WR/CB Jake Bamrick (5-9, 165), RB/FS Brett Breunig (5-10, 190), OL/DE Zak Sanderson (6-5, 220) and TE/LB R.J. Rickert (6-3, 225). All are seniors except for Rickert, a junior.

**TREVOR BROWNE** was 3-7 last year, a slight improvement over the Bruins' 2-8 record in 2007. And that's what Coach Randy Gross wants, heading into his third year at the controls. Keep improving!

Gross is really proud of players like RB/SS Darrion Murphy (5-10, 190, Sr.), QB/DB David Robles (5-8, 160, Jr.), OL/LB Odej Serratos (6-0, 250, Sr.) and FB/DT Jesus Guzman (5-9, 215, Sr.).

Scattered among the 17 returning lettermen are OL/LB Anthony Rivera (5-8, 200, Jr.), RB/LB Lino Vela (5-10, 180, Jr.), OL/DL Edgar Chavez (5-9, 240, Jr.), RB/LB Matt Garnica (5-10, 170, Sr.), QB/DB Matt Shurtleff (5-7, 150, Jr.), RB/DB Richard Turner (5-8, 160, Jr.) and WR/LB Gilbert Enriquez (5-9, 150, Jr.).

"My top returning players are RB/DB Valencio Gray (5-9, 165, Jr.), WR/DB Michael Romero (5-8, 155, Sr.) and WR/DB Billy Sueing (5-9, 160, Jr.)," says **WESTWOOD** Head Coach Greg Mendez. All were starters a year ago for the 2-9 Warriors.

Also making the list for Mendez are senior bruisers like OL/DL John Holtz (6-0, 215), OL/DL Dylan Walker (6-1, 225), OL/DL Byron Schlechty (6-2, 265), TE/DL Deandre Barnes (6-1, 215), FB/LB Joseph Rodriguez (5-8, 180) and FB/LB Chris Lopez (5-8, 170). The Warriors have a chance to get over the .500 mark, if their 24 returning lettermen play well in '09.

**GOOD LUCK**  
from KUKULSKI BROTHERS INC.

# ARIZONA'S RECEIVER OF THE YEAR



Drew Terrell of Hamilton  
2008 Receiver of the Year

2008.....Drew Terrell, Hamilton  
2007.....Gerell Robinson, Hamilton  
2006.....Kerry Taylor, Hamilton  
2005 ....T.J. Campbell, Sunnyslope  
2004 ....Chris McGaha, Moon Valley  
2003 ....Zach Miller, Desert Vista  
2002 ....Thomas Huff, Camelback  
2001 ....Adam Mannon, Hamilton  
.....Josh Jordan, Chandler (jr)  
2000 ....Junior Taylor, Mesa  
1999 ....Sammy Moore, Westwood  
1998 ....Bristol Olomua, Red Mountain  
1997 ....Jason Jenkins, South Mountain  
1996 ....Justin Taplin, Tempe Union  
1995 ....Tariq McDonald, St. Mary's  
1994 ....Kenny Mitchell, Peoria  
1993 ....Kenny Cheatham, South Mountain  
1992 ....Freddie Dodson, Chandler  
1991 ....Steve Bush, Paradise Valley  
1990 ....Jason Birdsong, Cactus  
1989 ....Jason Birdsong, Cactus (jr)  
1988 ....Eric Drage, Santa Rita

1987 ....Orlando McKay, Mesa  
1986 ....Eric Guliford, Peoria (jr)  
1985 ....Steve Martin, Tucson Sahuaro  
1984 ....Todd Young, Marcos de Niza  
1983 ....Vince Masters, Coolidge (jr)  
1982 ....Randall McDaniel, Agua Fria  
1981 ....Glenn Dennard, Corona del Sol  
1980 ....Skip Peete, Tucson Sahuaro  
1979 ....Jay Dobyns, Tucson Sahuaro  
1978 ....Junior Solomon, Coolidge  
1977 ....Charles Cobbs, Florence  
1976 ....John Mistler, Tucson Sahuaro  
1975 ....Ron Washington, McClintock  
1974 ....Speedy Hart, St. Mary's  
1973 ....Preston Dennard, Marcos de Niza  
1972 ....Don Woods, Mesa  
1971 ....Willie Scroggins, Safford  
1970 ....Darion Gilbert, Phoenix Union  
1969 ....Larry Shorty, Santa Cruz  
1968 ....Ed Weatherspoon, Globe  
1967 ....Calvin Demery, South Mountain  
1966 ....Mike Bowling, Agua Fria

Drew Terrell, the 2008 Arizona High School Receiver of the Year, was selected by the editorial staff of the Phoenix Metro Football Magazine (Paynter's Pics).

# Centennial Headed Towards Four-Peat

## Can Westview, MDN or Chaparral End This Run?

Four years ago, the 5A Conference split into two divisions – 5A-1 and 5A-2. In 2005, Coach Richard Taylor and his CENTENNIAL Coyotes played in the 5A-2 finale, losing to the North Canyon Rattlers. They haven't lost to a 5A-2 opponent since, capturing three straight state titles in the process.

In fact, Centennial has fashioned 14-0, 13-1 and 14-0 seasons in 2006, 2007 and 2008, respectively. The Coyotes' only loss was a 35-18 decision to 5A-1 powerhouse Hamilton two years ago. And they defeated eventual 5A-1 champ Hamilton, 35-16, last year.

Just remarkable! Congratulations to an outstanding football program at Centennial.

Can the Coyotes make it four in a row? We'll find out soon enough. Coach Taylor will escort his guys to Reno in late August to battle the defending Nevada "big school" champion McQueen Lancers in this year's Sollenberger Classic. Should be a good matchup.

McQueen and the rest of Centennial's foes this year will have to contend with a dynamite offensive line, as well as plenty of speed at the skill positions.

Senior Nick Rowland (6-4, 305), Dylan Lusk (6-2, 301) and Junior Nieves (6-3, 306) are truly special players. Rowland could emerge as Arizona's finest performer this year and he's definitely headed to a big-time university program next year. Lusk and Nieves aren't far behind – excellent anchors up front.

Also contributing for Coach Taylor are C/DT Roc Lopez (5-11, 210), DL Dylan Eastridge (5-9, 250), OL/DL Luis Gardea (5-11, 255), OL/DL Spencer Ropte (6-2, 220), OL/DL Charles Hengerler (6-3, 275) and DE/P Ryan Leslie (6-0, 206) – all seniors.

Offensively, the QB is Dain McFarland (6-0, 185) and the chief ball carrier is Anthony Hughes (5-10, 200). They're plenty dangerous, especially behind that line.

Also keep an eye on TE/MLB Austin Arias (6-0, 225), TE/OLB Austin Garday (6-0, 209), WR/CB Kyle Coffey (5-10, 175), WR/CB Sean Dumdie (6-0, 190), WR/SS Matt Baugh (6-1, 187), WR/S Jacob Callahan (5-9, 170), TB/SS Aaron Smolinski (5-9, 177) and TB/CB Bryce Wright (5-9, 180).

Altogether, the Coyotes return 34 lettermen from last year's undefeated bunch.

If not for the excellence of Centennial, Coach Jeff Bowen and his team at WESTVIEW would be receiving a lot more attention. After all, the Knights have reached the 5A-2 finale for each of the last two years before bowing to Centennial.

Bowen should field another contender in 2009, thanks to the presence of seniors like



**Senior Anthony Hughes (6)** figures to rack up big yardage in the Centennial running game this year (Paynter's Pics).

QB/CB Jourdan Grandon, a 6-0, 180-pounder with 4.5 speed. He's very good.

Besides Grandon, Westview has 29 more letterwinners back in uniform as well as some promising youngsters from a perfect (9-0) junior varsity.

The trio of TE/MLB Eric Ramsey (6-0, 220, Sr.), junior C/DE Brennan Bowen (6-0, 265, Jr.) and FB/LB Carlton Williams (5-9, 195, Jr.) has already won all-state recognition and are being counted on to enjoy big '09 outings.

Other returning regulars are SE/DB Nate McOwen (5-10, 160, Sr.), OT/TE/DE Brandon Rediger (6-2, 220, Sr.), OG/DT Willie Chaffee (5-8, 200, Sr.), OT/LB Emil Romero (5-11, 205, Sr.), SE/FS Joe Espinoza (5-11, 160, Sr.) and RB/CB Levi Childress (5-8, 150, Jr.).

Head mentor Roy Lopez has another good roster of players at MARCOS DE NIZA. He's particularly excited about seniors Ramon Abreu (5-11, 185), Justin Rodriguez (6-3, 190) and Zach Schira (6-2, 180).

Abreu was recently offered by ASU; he's a speedy two-way star at running back and linebacker. And the Padres passing attack just might feature QB Schira to WR Rodriguez.

Others to watch include WR Tevin Newell (6-0, 180, Sr.), OL/DL Roy Garcia (6-2, 250, Sr.), OL/DL Billy Rono (6-4, 295, Sr.), RB/DB Dominic Sotelo (5-6, 160, Jr.), WR/DB JeRyan Butler (5-9, 160, Jr.), WR/DB Martwan

Weaver (5-11, 170, Jr.), RB/DB Matt Shahin (5-8, 160, Sr.), OL/DL Eduardo Rodriguez (6-2, 255, Sr.), RB/DB Anthony Shivers (6-0, 185, Jr.), DL Aaron Pavicko (6-0, 215, Sr.), LB Todd Lawrence (6-3, 215, Sr.), LB Collin Martinez (5-10, 175, Sr.), DE Brandon Gammage (5-11, 200, Sr.), DE Chris Mancha (6-3, 195, Jr.), RB Sly Hardwick (5-9, 180, Sr.), WR Ivan Valenzuela (5-10, 170, Sr.) and WR Cameron Johnson (5-11, 170, Jr.).

Shivers has terrific speed and should be especially effective on returns. "He'll run the ball with Abreu," says Lopez. "He's our best all-around athlete."

Coach Lopez guided his guys to an 11-2 mark last year, including a spot in the 5A-2 semifinals. "We're working extremely hard to be one of the top programs in the state," says Lopez.

This is a big year for the coaches, players and fans at CHAPARRAL. Clearly, the Firebirds have been one of the best programs at the 4A-1 level in the past decade, winning state championships in 1999, 2000 and 2002 before finishing second last year. Now Coach Charlie Ragle and his squad will attack 5A-2 competition with 25 varsity veterans back from last season's 12-2 unit and performers from an unblemished (9-0) JV team.

Dwayne Garrett (6-0, 190) is a team leader at running back. He's quick (4.5) and should

have a big senior year after running for 1,963 yards and 27 scores in '08.

Senior bookends Cole Tyree (5-10, 180) and Danny Trittler (5-10, 185) will lend support at running back and wide receiver, respectively.

This year's club will definitely miss the likes of all-staters Craig Roh and Taylor Lewan, who both opted to continue their careers at the University of Michigan. But the Firebirds will still have some big and motivated players in the trenches, such as C Joe Zurek (6-0, 185), DE Chris Fox (6-3, 220), LT Jacob Ehm (6-6, 255), RT Andrew Gustafson (6-6, 265) and DT Xavier McDonald (6-2, 240).

Junior safety Colby Targun (5-10, 180) and senior backer Chris Arnold (6-0, 210) should be heavy contributors on defense.

"We should be solid contenders in 5A-2," says Ragle. "Though we're moving up, we have plenty of young talent and should be in the mix at the end."

How about Tony Tabor's team at DESERT MOUNTAIN? This is Coach Tabor's fourth year with the Wolves, so this year's seniors are the first class he had as freshmen. And it's a good group.

The Wolves were 5-5 last year, finishing third in the region. Twenty-nine lettermen return, including 14 starters. The headliner is two-way senior lineman Tyeler Davison, a 6-2, 280-pounder. He's formidable, especially at noseguard.

And Davison has plenty of friends who'd like to contribute, namely TE/DE Charlie Andrews (6-3, 235), QB Kevin Radcliffe (6-0, 180), REC/S Kyle Tokasey (6-0, 170), REC/CB Dakota D'Angelo (6-0, 180), RB/LB Shane Williams (5-9, 185), OG/NG Josh Simon (6-0, 220), REC/S Mike Amlin (6-0, 180, Jr.) and REC/CB Matt Delvalle (5-10, 180).

Good things are happening at BOULDER CREEK, where Coach Dan Friedman is beginning his third year at the helm. He has 19 letterwinners back from his 2008 unit that finished 9-3 on the year. There's 10 starters in that group and plenty of good, young talent up from a 9-0 junior varsity.

Junior scatbacks Phillip Bayus (5-7, 165) and Mike Contreras (5-7 155) will run behind the likes of OL Mario Lugo (5-10, 210, Sr.), OL Brandon Deip (5-11, 220, Sr.) and TE Zack Brown (6-2, 175, Jr.) when the Jaguars go to the rushing attack.

Brown and WB Jordan Coleman (5-6, 150, Sr.) should be the leading receivers, while LB Taylor Reber (5-11, 185, Jr.) and DB Joe Kupiszewski (5-10, 180, Sr.) will pace the BCHS defense.

Another "new kid on the block" starting to make its presence felt is PINNACLE. The Pioneers were great in 2007, but fell off a bit in 2008, winding up at 5-6. Watch for better days this time out.

Coach Dana Zupke's 2009 edition has 13 starters suiting up – seven on offense and six on defense. Team leaders should be TE/LB Andrew Hurley (6-2, 205, Sr.), WR/CB Jordan Soteros (5-11, 170, Sr.), RB/DB Dillon Luther (5-11, 170, Sr.), RB/LB J.D. Distor (5-8, 185, Sr.), RB/LB Cody Gibson (5-11, 185, Jr.), RB/S Jake Peevyhouse (5-10, 180, Jr.), OL/DL Luke Dubas (6-2, 250, Jr.), OL/DL Cesar Torres (5-

## Phoenix Metro 5A-2 Top 15

- 1) **Centennial Coyotes.....41-1 Record, State Crowns in '06, '07, '08**
- 2) **Westview Knights .....Grandon Invaluable in 2009**
- 3) **Marcos de Niza Padres ....Can Coach Lopez Get Them to the Finals?**
- 4) **Chaparral Firebirds .....New Contender, Up From the 4A-1 Ranks**
- 5) **Desert Mountain Wolves .....Should Be Much Improved**
- 6) **Boulder Creek Jaguars .....9-3 Last Year Under Coach Friedman**
- 7) **Pinnacle Pioneers .....Prospects Good For Coach Zupke & Team**
- 8) **Willow Canyon Wildcats.....Coach Hudnutt Building Solid Program**
- 9) **Millennium Tigers .....Flowers Could Be State's Top Player**
- 10) **South Mountain Jaguars.....Size & Speed for SMHS**
- 11) **Deer Valley Skyhawks .....30 Lettermen Back in Uniform**
- 12) **Ironwood Eagles.....IHS Looking For Winning Season**
- 13) **Perry Pumas .....Latu, Darnell Mainstays for Coach Jones**
- 14) **Tolleson Wolverines .....Martinez, Limon Stalwarts Up Front**
- 15) **Valley Vista Monsoon .....Coach Wilke Has 26 Lettermen Back**

11, 245, Sr.) and WR/DB Conor Wessel (6-0, 175, Sr.).

Zupke's record at Pinnacle now stands at 38-27 in six years. Should be considerably more wins than losses this fall.

One of the West Valley's up-and-coming teams hails from WILLOW CANYON, where Coach Michael Hudnutt sports a solid 18-15 slate in three years there. An amazing 31 lettermen are back and raring to go from last year's 7-4 bunch. The Wildcats also went 8-2-1 at the JV level in 2008 – always a good sign.

Hudnutt anticipates his mainstays will be RB Garrick Shelton (5-6, 180, Jr.), OL/DL Devin Dashnaw (6-7, 315, Sr.), WR/DB Derek Garcia (5-10, 165, Sr.), TE/LB Adrian Drew (6-2, 200, Sr.), RB/LB Carmello Baez (6-0, 180, Sr.) and RB/LB Justin Schreibels (5-10, 195, Sr.).

It's very possible that Marquis Flowers will leave MILLENNIUM at the end of this season as the finest player is school history. Of course, that's a fairly brief history, but Flowers is truly an elite athlete.

At 6-3 and 195 pounds with 4.5 speed or better, he's outstanding offensively at running back and defensively at safety. A definite candidate for Arizona Player of the Year laurels, Flowers will attempt to lead his teammates deep into the prep playoffs before heading off to somewhere like Michigan, Notre Dame, USC or ASU to continue his academic and athletic career. He figures to be the most heavily recruited player in the Grand Canyon State this year.

SOUTH MOUNTAIN has some very large players, headed by OT/DT Patrick Ward (6-6, 285), OG/DE Jonathan Johnson (6-2, 250), OT/DT Robert Green (6-0, 340) and OT/DT Diego Vazquez (6-2, 310) – all seniors.

But that's not all! Coach Zane Zamenski's squad has speed too, thanks to the likes of RB/DB John Jones (5-8, 170), FB/LB Sam Kuutea (5-11, 205), WR/DB Trey Waters (6-0, 180) and TE/LB Jacob Jordan (6-0, 185).

Other Jaguars to watch include C/LB Jeff Pinkerton (5-11, 185), C/LB David Lopez (5-10, 185) and QB/DB Juan Siwa (5-11, 180).

Reaching last season's 8-3 record will be tough, but Zamenski and crew would like to make more noise in the playoffs this time around.

Coach Sven Christianson and his DEER VALLEY Skyhawks split their 10-game schedule last year, barely joining the 5A-2 playoff party. Thirty lettermen, including 13 starters, are back and looking for improvement.

Deer Valley has some good-looking senior skill players to do the work, including TE/LB DeAndre Daniels (6-0, 190), QB/LB Brandon Witkowski (5-11, 185), RB/LB Hayden McClellan (5-10, 180), REC/DB Jacob Doyle (6-0, 175), TE/OLB Derek Stevens (6-0, 195), REC/DB Erik Sanchez (5-10, 180), REC/DB Jon Green (6-3, 185) and TE/DB David Winkfield (6-0, 185). Daniels is a legitimate honors candidate.

Junior Travis Seefeldt (6-0, 230) and senior Kyle Jervis (5-11, 215) will set the pace on both lines.

IRONWOOD, under the guidance of Larry Allen, wants back on the winning side of the ledger; the Eagles captured just three wins in 10 attempts in '08. That's certainly not typical of Ironwood.

A dozen starters return for Allen, who now sports a 186-101 overall high school head coaching mark, including his 32-30 mark at IHS. Some of his best players roam the Eagle secondary, namely Bobby Hodge (5-11, 185), Darrin Spencer (6-1, 195), Anthony Bugayorg (5-10, 180) and Logan Gimlin (6-0, 170).

Great efforts are also expected of TE/DE Marshall Peugh (6-3, 205), RB/LB Eric Navarro (5-8, 190), OL/DL Phillip Delatorre (6-2, 245), TE/DL Kalvin Chavez (6-2, 200), OL/DL Mike Rains (6-1, 235) and FB/DE Nate Hunter (6-1, 200).

Coach Preston Jones is still constructing his football program at PERRY, but we fully

expect the Pumas to surprise some folks this year. Of course, it'll take time and a few more students before Perry competes head-to-head with fellow district schools Hamilton, Chandler and Basha, but 2009 could prove to be very interesting.

A staggering 43 lettermen, including all 22 starters, are back in uniform. And the Pumas finished 7-3 a year ago.

Big Mo Latu, a 6-2, 305-pound junior, can line up against anyone in the trenches. He's just a junior. The quickest player on the team is senior running back Tauren Darnell (5-10, 165).

Also keep an eye on TE/LB Chase Richardson (6-0, 190), FS Andrew Jimenez (5-10, 160), LB/DL Seth Sullivan (5-9, 200), OL/DL Spencer Wilson (5-11, 175), QB David Walker (5-8, 150) and DL Dallin Brown (5-11, 175) – all juniors.

Coach Rich Wellbrock at TOLLESON is looking for a better 2009 than the Wolverines enjoyed in '08, when his guys finished 3-7. Competing with the likes of 5A-2 rivals Centennial, Westview, Millennium and Ironwood in the Desert West Region is not easy, but Wellbrock's club could surprise. He has a nice foundation of a dozen returning regulars on hand.

There's decent size in the form of OL/DL Victor Martinez (5-10, 250, Sr.), OL/DL Daniel Limon (6-5, 280, Sr.), TE/DL Brendan Pineda (6-3, 225, Jr.), OL/DL Nick Bakardjiev (6-0, 240, Sr.) and OL/DL Phillip Morgan (6-1, 250, Sr.).

And the Wolverines are deep at running back with junior Jalen Roebuck (6-1, 185), senior Patrick Browne (5-10, 190), senior Andrew Esparza (6-1, 220), senior Chris Garcia (5-10, 185) and sophomore Eric Ivy (5-9, 185).

Senior TE/DL Shamier Smith (6-1, 200) will help on both sides of the football.

Coach Jason Wilke is counting on RB Charles James (5-5, 150) and OL Kyle Lille (6-3, 277) to get the job done for VALLEY VISTA this fall. James is really quick and a well-respected football player.

Also back from last year's 4-7 team are DB GeAunte Fisher (5-10, 180, Sr.), DB Tirrel Turner (5-10, 160, Sr.), DB Isaiah Steele (5-8, 175, Sr.), QB Brock Bailey (6-1, 175, Sr.), RB/SS Ronald Carter (5-8, 175, Jr.) and DL Mark Grant (6-1, 255, Jr.).

John Rodriguez assumes the head coaching position at SANDRA DAY O'CONNOR. Unfortunately, the Eagles won just two of 10 contests in 2008. However, the JV had a fine year at 7-1, so maybe some youngsters can be of assistance this year.

Among the 13 returning letterwinners are QB Dexter Bethers and receivers Blaze Almon, Matt McElroy, Hunter Eisenhower, Ruben Gomez, Nick Miller and Jack Bridgewater. All are seniors except for McElroy. Almon is a 5-10, 170-pounder with 4.7 speed. Eisenhower (6-4, 180), Miller (6-2, 190) and Bridgewater (6-3, 185) all have good size.

Look for senior OL/LB Tyler Harper (5-11, 185), junior OL/DL Johnny DeVito (5-11, 195) and junior OL/LB Tommy DeVito (5-10, 175) to provide solid service.



**Westview's Jourdan Grandon is a gifted two-way player for the Knights. Coach Jeff Bowen will utilize him at quarterback and defensive back (Paynter's Pics).**

"Should be a lot of good, young football players this year," say CAMELBACK Head Coach Daryl Phillips. Of course, he hopes quite a few of the emerging performers suit up for his Spartans, 2-8 in 2008.

Phillips has 16 returning lettermen, including mainstays Chris Finley (5-9, 181), Ben Gardner (5-10, 180), Jorel Miniefield (5-9, 185), Yaovi Ehon (6-0, 210), Kiandre Rogers (5-8, 158), Roderick Taylor (5-8, 160), Tyrone Matthews (5-8, 176) and Marcus Heckman (6-1, 240).

Ed Cook is beginning his third year as head coach for the BARRY GOLDWATER Bulldogs, who struggled through a 1-9 season a year ago.

Twelve lettermen, including six starters, return from that team. Two seniors, OL/DL Adam Braslawcse (5-9, 230) and WR/DB Matt Perez (5-11, 180) landed all-region accolades a year ago.

In addition to Perez, the skill positions on offense will be manned by RB Phillip Lang (5-10, 175, Jr.), QB Kaler Ray (6-1, 160, So.), WR Nick Cleland (5-10, 160, Sr.), WR Dyland Meissner (5-6, 155, Sr.), RB Mike Renta (5-9, 175, Jr.), TE Andrew Cleland (5-10, 180, Sr.), TE Troy Lira (5-11, 190, So) and WR Josh Marx (5-10, 175, Sr.).

Besides Braslawcse, the leaders up front should be OL/LB Andrew Torres (5-10, 185, So.), OL/DL Derek Johnson (6-3, 240, So.), C

Vince Velez (5-10, 200, So.), OL/DL Jeff Johann (5-10, 170, So.), DL Chase Kizer (5-11, 270, Sr.) and DL Andrew Valenzuela (5-8, 300, Sr.).

Cook is also anticipating LB Cody Lambson (5-9, 180, Sr.), K Herme Flores (5-11, 180, Sr.) and LB Chris Lacorte (5-9, 175, Jr.) will play key roles.

CENTRAL is also looking to rebound from a 1-9 ledger this fall. Now in his third season, Coach Todd Williamson has a very respectable nine starters back.

Headliners are LB Dallas Nichols (6-1, 190, Jr.), RB/SS Jaleel Turner (5-10, 185, Jr.), OL/DL Kavion Thomas (6-1, 245, Sr.), WR/CB Johnny Hodges (5-7, 150, Sr.), WR/LB Larry McBeth (6-0, 205, Jr.), WR/CB Hi-C Scott (5-9, 175, Jr.), LB Garrett Van Horne (6-0, 180, Jr.), QB/FS Andrew Lobato (6-0, 185, Jr.), Giovanni Rivera (5-11, 190, Sr.) and WR/CB Darius Leopaul (5-9, 170, Sr.).

The 5A-2 Division has more than its fair share of young schools coming aboard and pushing to build a first-class football program. That certainly applies to BETTY FAIRFAX too.

Coach Kevin Belcher, formerly the head man at Central HS, is hopeful that graduates of the 2008 BFHS Junior Varsity (7-2) and Freshman (8-2) squads will do some great things for the Stampede's first varsity unit.

# Craig Roh

The 2008 Scottsdale  
Player of the Year



- 2008 ... Craig Roh, Chaparral, DE
- 2007 ... Mike Cummings, Chaparral, WR/DB
- 2006 ... Max Tabach, Saguaro, WR/DB
- 2005 ... Kyle Williams, Chaparral, RB/KR
- 2004 ... Ekom Udofia, Chaparral, DL
- 2003 ... Darren Mougey, Chaparral, QB
- 2002 ... Kyle Caldwell, Saguaro, DL
- 2001 ... Mike Falco, Horizon, RB
- 2000 ... Chad Christensen, Desert Mountain, QB
- 1999 ... Josh Griffin, Chaparral, RB/KR
- 1998 ... Jeff Krohn, Horizon, QB
- 1997 ... Jerry Schwartzberg, Chaparral, RB
- 1996 ... Mike Mantle, Coronado, RB/DB
- 1995 ... Mike Brown, Saguaro, RB/DB
- 1994 ... John Clayton, Horizon, RB
- 1993 ... Randy Hakes, Arcadia, TE/LB
- 1992 ... Rod Bair, Coronado, FB
- 1991 ... Paul Fichiera, Coronado, RB
- 1990 ... Justin Olson, Horizon, RB
- ..... Paul Fichiera, Coronado, RB (jr)
- 1989 ... Kevin McLemore, Coronado, RB/LB
- 1988 ... Andy Davis, Saguaro, RB
- 1987 ... Tony Werstler, Saguaro, QB
- ..... Neil Begelman, Saguaro, LB
- 1986 ... John Boyer, Coronado, FB/LB
- 1985 ... Charles Sanfilippo, Chaparral, RB
- 1984 ... Steve Rosholt, Arcadia, RB
- 1983 ... Dave Schilling, Coronado, RB
- 1982 ... Lee Bishop, Chaparral, RB
- ..... Tim McInnis, Coronado, TE
- 1981 ... Frank Rudolph, Coronado, DE
- 1980 ... Randy Hayes, Scottsdale, WR
- 1979 ... Jeff Harper, Chaparral, RB
- 1978 ... Kevin Smith, Saguaro, QB (jr)
- 1977 ... Joey Lumpkin, Scottsdale, FB/LB
- 1976 ... Greg Brady, Coronado, QB
- 1975 ... Bob Pitre, Arcadia, QB
- 1974 ... Rick McClelland, Saguaro, FB/LB
- 1973 ... Rob Wilson, Coronado, QB/DB
- 1972 ... Keith Sobraski, Coronado, OT/DT

# Saguaro To Make It Four Straight? Peoria No. 2 Pick!



*The chances are good that Coach John Sanders will once again be celebrating with his Sabercat players at the end of the 2009 season. Saguaro has captured three consecutive 4A-1 state crowns (Paynter's Pics).*

Will the **SAGUARO** Sabercats, who have won 41 of their past 42 games, including three straight 4A-1 state titles, ever lose again?

Well, we're sure they will. We just don't know when.

Coach John Sanders is undefeated in his two years as head coach for Saguaro. His 2009 team will be without great players like Corey Adams, Kody Koebensky, Justin Jungblut, Max Smith, Ben Bisgard, Beau Burton, Paul Porras, Erik Brown and Cole Rerrick – all of whom have used up their high school eligibility and moved on to various colleges.

But the cupboard is far from bare. Once again, Sanders & Co. has some

terrific talent at the line of scrimmage. Senior OT Kody Innes (6-4, 280), senior DE Jordan McDonald (6-4, 230) and junior OG/DT Cyrus Hobbi (6-4, 280) are exceptional. If they keep working hard and continue to make progress, all three are headed for Division I football in the near future.

Additional support will come from OLB Brock Haman (6-3, 225), RB/LB Danny Clark (6-0, 215) and OG/C Dallas Noriega (6-0, 250) – all juniors.

**PEORIA** also lost some standout players from a year ago; for example, Jamal Miles has moved onto Arizona State University to play for the Sun Devils. We selected him as our State Running Back of

the Year last season for his gamebreaking work for the Panthers.

Even with the considerable loss of players like Miles, Jeremy Dang and Vinnie Spano to graduation, Peoria is loaded. Coach Doug Clapp has 29 returning lettermen from his 11-2 varsity squad and some talent on the way from his 8-1 junior varsity unit.

There's depth at the skill positions, especially in the passing game. Wide receivers K.J. Bowen (5-11, 175, Sr.), Javonte Fluellen (6-1, 190, Sr.), and Austin Cundiff (5-10, 180, Jr.) should have plenty of big games if QB Caleb Gillispie (6-2, 205, Jr.) can do a good job of delivering the football. He's plenty capable.

## Phoenix Metro 4A-1 Top 15

- 1) **Saguaro Sabercats** .....Just 1 Loss, 3 State Titles in Last 3 Years
- 2) **Peoria Panthers** .....Clapp's Squad Ready to Challenge
- 3) **Agua Fria Owls** .....Highly Regarded by Opposing Coaches
- 4) **McClintock Chargers** .....Gibbons Has Contender
- 5) **Apache Junction Prospectors** .....Maughmer Great Player
- 6) **Prescott Badgers** .....Gronwald, Mancha Mainstays
- 7) **Shadow Mountain Matadors** .....Could Be Much Improved
- 8) **Sunrise Mountain Mustangs** .....Playoff Contender This Year
- 9) **Bradshaw Mountain Bears** .....4 Straight Years in the Postseason
- 10) **Queen Creek Bulldogs** .....8-4 Varsity, 8-0 JV in 2009
- 11) **Sunnyslope Vikings** .....Maraz, McGrath, Montini & Co.
- 12) **Raymond Kellis Cougars** .....Good Foundation for Promising Team
- 13) **Moon Valley Rockets** .....Coach Smith Returns 11 Lettermen
- 14) **Apollo Hawks** .....Sparks, Smith, Cavazos Dependable Trio
- 15) **Dysart Demons** .....Experienced Secondary Should Help

The primary running backs could be Joseph Tanis (6-1, 190) and A.J. Taylor (5-9, 195) – both seniors.

Defensively, Clapp anticipates major contributions from DE Haisaun Adams (6-1, 220, Sr.), LB Dylan Contreras (6-1, 220, Jr.), FS Steven Trujillo (6-0, 170, Sr.) and LB/DE Darius Jones (5-10, 205, Sr.).

Clapp's coaching record now stands at a sparkling 208-69-6 in 23 years at Peoria. His Panthers have always been good and were one of the most dominant 4A teams in the 1980s and 1990s, winning state crowns in '86, '87 and '94 and reaching the finales in '88 and '90. This 2009 team has a great chance to add to that rich Peoria tradition.

Coach Mike Gibbons has a contender this year at **McCLINTOCK**. It's true the Chargers were 5-6 in 2008, following a 5-7 campaign in 2007, Gibbons' first year as head mentor at MHS.

We expect the Chargers to be well above the .500 mark this year, thanks to the return of 22 lettermen, including eight starters.

The cream of the crop for Coach Gibbons should be RB/LB Hayden Tippett (5-11, 215, Sr.), TE/LB Ricky Astoria (6-0, 190, Sr.), OL/DL Brian Aberle (6-0, 205, Sr.), RB/DL Jabril Gipson (5-10, 240, Jr.), RB/LB Austin Williams (5-9, 185, Sr.), TE/LB Connor Ettsity (5-10, 190, Sr.), OL/DL Irmiyaa Johnson (6-0, 190, Sr.), QB/DB Brent Davis (6-1, 175, Sr.) and OL/DL Dominique Sordia (6-2, 255, Sr.).

Rich Milligan doesn't have the services of all-stater Shane McCullen at **APACHE JUNCTION** any longer; he's now at ASU

playing for Coach Dennis Erickson. But Coach Milligan still should have a very competitive team, thanks to the return of 15 lettermen, including seven regulars, from the 2008 Prospectors, who finished 8-4 a year ago.

Big Cy Maughmer (6-2, 285) will anchor both lines from his offensive guard and nose tackle spots.

He'll receive plenty of assistance from QB/LB Nate Scola (5-11, 210), RB/LB Terry Eytchesen (5-6, 185), OT/DE Stephia Hughes (6-1, 195), OG/DT Shane Smith (6-1, 245) and WR/DB Derek Hoffmann (6-0, 170) – all seniors.

Next up are the **PREScott Badgers**, under the guidance of veteran coach Lou Beneitone. Things are looking good for PHS this fall; seven starters return from last season's 7-4 team. The '08 JV posted six wins in eight tries.

Beneitone expects standout play from WR/DB Aaron Gronwald (5-11, 160), RB/LB Joey Mancha (5-10, 170), OL/DL Jr. Vicente (6-0, 255), QB/DB Matt Groff (6-0, 175), WR/DB Seth Huffman (5-11, 150), TE/DE Natt Wittler (6-3, 220) and OL/DL Vince Colianni (5-11, 190) – all twelfth-graders.

"Ian Juede will be one of the top players in both the Western Sky Region and in 4A-1 football," says **SHADOW MOUNTAIN** Head Coach Josh Sekoch.

Juede is a 5-8, 175-pound junior with 4.6 speed. He'll certainly receive playing time in the secondary, as well as at wide receiver and possibly quarterback. Juede will do his best to push the Matadors past last year's 3-7 record and towards the postseason.

Coach Sekoch also expects solid performances from OT Cameron Bailey (6-4, 240, Jr.), TE/LB Wes Sorenson (6-4, 200, Jr.), OL/DL Austin Hampton (6-0, 200, Jr.), WR Erwin Jones Jr. (5-10, 160, Jr.), TE/DL Mitch Murray (5-10, 200, Sr.), QB/DB Chaz Cronovich (5-7, 160, Jr.), QB Chase Merrill (5-10, 180, So.), OT Patrick Bialy (6-0, 250, Sr.) and OL Jeremiah Hill (6-4, 260, So.).

We spoke earlier of the great tradition at Peoria High School. For those longtime prep football fans, you'll recognize the name of Will Babb as being a big part of that tradition. Well, it's Coach Babb now and he's hard at work trying to establish something special at **SUNRISE MOUNTAIN**. The Mustangs suffered through a tough '08 season (1-9), but, with 16 starters and a total of 22 letterwinners back for another year, watch SMHS improve this time out.

RB/LB Tyler Brown (6-1, 205), OL/DL Preston Brooksly (6-5, 260) and RB/DB Scott Nichols (5-10, 180) – all seniors – will set the pace.

Also lending a hand will be TE/LB Jordan Michael (6-2, 225, Sr.), FB/OLB Mike Murrillo (5-10, 190, Sr.), WR/DB Taylor Haines (5-10, 170, Sr.), OL/LB Shane Johnson (6-0, 215, Jr.), OL/DL Ricky Gray (6-2, 245, Sr.), DB Dillon Hester (6-0, 185, Sr.) and DL Ray Brazil (6-0, 255, Sr.).

Returning all-region performers Dallas Sandberg (6-5, 300), Devin Begay (6-0, 230) and Mychael Eikenberry (5-9, 220) are among the 13 returning lettermen at **BRADSHAW MOUNTAIN**. Sandberg and Begay are both offensive linemen, while Eikenberry is a powerful fullback. All three are seniors.

Also returning for Coach Chuck Apap, who guided the Bears to a 5-7 record last fall, are RB/OLB Jeremiah Hernandez (5-8, 170, Sr.), DT Joshua Ruda (5-10, 230, Sr.), WR James Reyes (6-4, 175, Jr.), C Shon Do (5-10, 160, Jr.), QB Tyler Audsley (5-9, 150, So.), DB Kevin Wallace (6-0, 150, Jr.), DB Chase Sullins (6-4, 190, Sr.), OLB John Kelley (5-8, 155, Jr.), DT Eric Jolley (6-3, 190, Jr.), OG Zack Smith (5-11, 195, Sr.), C Brady Cabral (6-3, 280, Jr.), and NG Marcus Bronson (5-11, 301, So.).

We're not quite sure how **QUEEN CREEK** will fare this season. The Bulldogs are moving up to 4A-1 competition. Coach Curt LeBlanc's crew returns 18 lettermen – but just three starters – from an 8-4 unit. The '08 JV was undefeated (8-0).

So it's more likely than not that QCHS

will do just fine in '09, especially after the Bulldogs make the early-season adjustment to 4A-1 play. LeBlanc is relying most heavily on these players for standout performances: DT Layne Bourgeous (6-4, 250, Sr.), QB Adam Brzeczek (6-0, 170, Jr.), TB Nick Arnold (5-9, 160, Sr.), CB Marcus Wilkins (6-0, 180, Sr.), DE Tommy Cawood (6-1, 190, Sr.), WR Kendal Augustin (6-1, 180, Sr.), DE Trace Bowman (5-11, 175, Sr.), OT Matt Holmes (6-2, 210, Sr.), DT Chad Dilzer (5-11, 240, Sr.), K DJ Lechner (5-11, 165, Sr.) and RB Billy Gregoire (6-0, 180, So.).

That brings us to the **SUNNYSLOPE** Vikings, under the direction of third-year coach Tim Mayfield. His club improved from 2-8 in 2007 to 7-4 in 2008. And, with seven regulars returning on offense and five more on defense, this could be another very solid season for the Vikings.

"Our strength should be our experience," says Mayfield. "Our weakness is our size. We work hard in the weight room and in offseason conditioning, but our linemen have a tough time against bigger players."

Sunnyslope's best returnees are RB/LB Jesse McGrath (5-11, 210, Sr.), QB Ben Maraz (6-1, 205, Jr.), WR/DB Michael Bolinger (5-10, 160, Sr.), WR/LB Grady Callaghan (5-10, 165, Sr.), OL/DL Andrew Sapozink (6-1, 230, Sr.), OL/DL Sam Montini (5-11, 195, Sr.).

Among the newcomers, watch the play of WR/DB Ashton Young (6-1, 190), RB/LB Denny Robertson (5-11, 175) and WR/LB Michael Stoeber (5-11, 175) – all juniors.

Coach Jason Golden looks to have a good group at **RAYMOND KELLIS**, where an impressive 32 lettermen are back and ready for kickoff. Eleven of that bunch are returning starters and Golden also has members of last season's 7-1 JV now ready to contribute at the varsity level.

Some of his best players, like Traveon Freeman, Chad Snider and Erik Sidney, are senior skill-position athletes. Freeman, for example, is a 5-10, 175-pound running back with 4.7 speed.

Snider (5-10, 185) is a QB, while Sidney (6-2, 185) plays wide receiver and also handles the punting chores.

Others to watch are DE Greg Fritz (6-3, 205, Sr.), OT Jessie Meza (6-4, 275, Sr.), C Nick Garfinkle (6-1, 250, Jr.), NG Matt Mireles (5-10, 210, Jr.), FS Tyler Jackson (5-11, 160, Sr.), OG Jose Loera (6-2, 280, Jr.) and CB Quantae Whitters (5-11, 170, Jr.).

Mark Smith is beginning his third year

as head coach for his alma mater, the **MOON VALLEY** Rockets. He welcomes back 11 letterwinners from his team which recorded five wins in 11 games in '08. Smith and Co. are looking for a .500+ effort in '09.

Foremost among the veterans are RB/LB Cora Deal (5-9, 185), OL/LB Mike Dewitt (5-11, 200), WR/LB Raney Gomez (5-8, 170) and TE/DE Zach Spacler (6-2, 210) – all seniors.

Up from the 6-2 junior varsity are the likes of QB/LB Kieh George (6-1, 185, Jr.), WR/DB Andrew Kohl (6-1, 165, Jr.), WR/DB Carlos Chiang (5-9, 160, Jr.), OL/DL Vi Teofilo (6-2, 245, Jr.), OL/DL Jon Rudnick (5-9, 210, Sr.) and OL/DL Derek Geffs (6-2, 220, Sr.).

A promising newcomer is WR/DB Sherrode Simmons, a 6-2, 175-pound senior.

Like Moon Valley, **APOLLO** also closed out the 2008 campaign with a 5-6 slate and is looking for more success in '09. Coach Zack Threadgill has 20 lettermen, including 13 starters, returning to help get the job done.

It all starts with WR/CB Braden Sparks (5-9, 167), RB/CB Kyran Smith (5-9, 168) and OL/DL AJ Cavazos (6-0, 220). These seniors are very capable leaders.

Other mainstays are QB/LB Zachary Wilson (6-1, 192, Jr.), TE/DL Chrisdean Ayiyi (6-1, 184, Jr.), TE/DL Christian Still (6-3, 210, Sr.), TE/LB Jose Torres (6-3, 195, Sr.), WR Jon Macias (5-11, 161, Sr.), HB/LB Gabe Solomon (5-11, 175, Sr.), DL Nick Christ (5-8, 220, Sr.), RB/LB Jordan Griggs (6-2, 184, Jr.) and LB Aaron Barnett (5-9, 176, Jr.).

**DYSART** is yet another school with a 5-6 record from a year ago. Head man Josh Mitchell is beginning his third year leading the Demons, who improved from 1-9 in 2007 to that 5-6 mark in 2008.

"We will be young at the skill positions after graduating our top two rushers and our leading receiver," says Mitchell. "But we do return three offensive linemen, including second-team all-region offensive lineman Cody Harris. We also return first-team all-region quarterback James Hubbard and our second-leading receiver in Leon May."

Harris is a 6-1, 265-pound junior, while Hubbard (5-11, 185) and May (6-0, 180) are seniors. Another honors candidate is WR/DB Alex Gracia (5-6, 150, Sr.), who led the Demons with five picks last year.

Also watch for steady play from RB/MLB Bryce Jones (6-1, 230), OL/DL Alan Pablos (6-0, 240), OL/DL Ewas

David (6-4, 285), RB/LB Ricardo Aroz (5-10, 175) and WR/CB Paris Smythe (5-8, 150) – all seniors.

Things could get very interesting at **GLENDALE** this fall. Although the Cardinals won just two of 10 contests last year, Coach Ben McIvor has a nice contingent of 22 varsity returnees with which to work.

Running backs Donald McGruder (5-10, 175, Sr.) and Brian Sutton (5-11, 185, Jr.) head the list. McGruder is particularly quick with 4.6 speed.

Either Anthony Gomez (5-9, 170) or Dylan Jahrling (6-1, 195) – both seniors – figures to be the quarterback. Primary targets will include wideouts Darius Ross (5-11, 160, Sr.) and Donnie Connors (5-10, 160, Sr.).

In the trenches, GHS will feature the likes of Ray Brewster (5-11, 215, Jr.), Edward Kuhnen (6-1, 230, Jr.), Edgar Rodriguez (6-1, 215, Sr.) and Anthony Lee (5-9, 210, Sr.).

Glendale could definitely surprise some people this year.

Dr. Gary Buer is looking for some more wins at **INDEPENDENCE**. The Patriots certainly have plenty of experience returning (33 lettermen including 14 starters) to improve on last year's 1-9 mark.

If they accomplish that, you can anticipate the following seniors will play key roles: QB Tyler Peoples (6-3, 170), WR/DB Victor White (5-10, 185), WR/DB Tyler Vache (5-10, 170), WR/DB Travis Parker (5-11, 165), OL/LB Joab Padilla (5-11, 215), LB Brandon Kelly (6-0, 180), OL/DL Dylan Brune (6-1, 278), WR/LB Michael Huerta (6-1, 170), OL/DL Marcello Reyardo (5-11, 220) and OL/DL Danny Weber (5-10, 245).

As the new coach at **COPPER CANYON**, Mike Segovia inherits 22 letterwinners from a varsity squad that finished 1-9 last time out. It's a fairly strong senior class, with good depth at the skill positions.

The Aztec offensive attack will feature FB/DE TiAndre Hunter (6-1, 215), RB/LB Damon Lacey (6-0, 215), WR/SS Billy Bushong (6-0, 190), RB/DB Blaine Griffin (5-9, 180) and QB Steven Plasencio (5-11, 160).

Up front, the performances of OL/DL Gavuer Mota (6-2, 220, Sr.), TE/DL Robert Garcia (6-2, 230, Sr.) and OL/DL Zahie Nieblas (5-11, 185, Sr.) will be vital to the fortunes of CCHS.

Congratulations to

# ARIZONA'S LINEMAN OF THE YEAR

2008 ..... Corey Adams, Scottsdale Saguaro (DL)  
2007 ..... Devon Kennard, Desert Vista (DL)  
2006 ..... Kris O'Dowd, Salpointe Catholic (OL)  
2005 ..... Jon Hargis, Red Mountain (DL)  
2004 ..... Daniel Borg, Ironwood Ridge (OL)  
2003 ..... John Kadous, Salpointe Catholic (OL)  
2002 ..... Kyle Caldwell, Scottsdale Saguaro (DL)  
2001 ..... Loren Howard, Scottsdale Saguaro (DL)  
2000 ..... Richie Incognito, Mountain Ridge (OT)  
1999 ..... Josh Kirkwood, Maryvale (DL)  
1998 ..... Brandon Phillips, Corona del Sol (OT)  
1997 ..... Mike Saffer, Sabino (OT)  
1996 ..... Ralph Zarate, Tucson (OT)  
TIE..... Brian Kula, Brophy Prep (DL)  
1995 ..... Chris Watkins, Highland (DL)  
1994 ..... Matt Griffith, Mesa (NG)  
1993 ..... Todd Thompson, Tucson Sahuarro (DL)  
1992 ..... John Tait, McClintock (OT)  
1991 ..... Willie Walker, Desert View (DL)  
1990 ..... Grady Stretz, McClintock (DL)  
1989 ..... Mike Ciasca, Tucson Sahuarro (OT)  
1988 ..... Eric Irock, Peoria (OT)  
1987 ..... Richard Griffith, Catalina (DL)  
1986 ..... Tim Landers, Round Valley (OT)  
1985 ..... Gary Pay, Apollo (T)  
1984 ..... Vincent Byrd, Santa Cruz (DT)  
1983 ..... Steve Spurling, Horizon (C)  
1982 ..... Richard Bear, Moon Valley (OT)  
1981 ..... Frank Rudolph, Coronado (DL)  
1980 ..... Tom Briehl, Gerard (T)  
1979 ..... Dave Wood, Washington (DL)  
1978 ..... Doug Kellermeyer, Coronado (DL)  
1977 ..... Marty Van Gorder, Chandler (C)  
1976 ..... Jack Housely, Maryvale (DL)  
1975 ..... Phil Hedrick, Maryvale (T)  
1974 ..... Jimmy Moore, Marcos de Niza (DL)  
1973 ..... Jon Abbott, Central (T)  
1972 ..... Keith Sobraske, Coronado (T)  
1971 ..... Mike Dawson, Tucson (T)  
1970 ..... Glen Gresham, Phoenix Union (OT)  
1969 ..... Roger Kronberg, Tempe (OT)  
1968 ..... Fernie Mendoza, Salpointe Catholic (T)  
1967 ..... Ken Hatcher, Mesa (C)  
1966 ..... Bill Dawson, Tucson (T)  
1965 ..... Bill Dawson, Tucson (T) jr.  
1964 ..... Richard Griffin, Westwood (OT)  
1963 ..... Curley Culp, Yuma (NG)  
1962 ..... Gary Swift, Arcadia (T)  
TIE..... Bob Bertelsen, Arcadia (T)  
1961 ..... Allen Thorn, St. Mary's (C)

## COREY ADAMS



**2008 Arizona High School  
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# 2009-10 Conference/Region Alignment

## **5A CONFERENCE**

### CENTRAL (Div. 1)

Basha (2455), Corona del Sol (2522), Dobson (3019), Gilbert (3127), Highland (3097), Mesquite (3225), Mesa Mountain View (3451)

### DESERT VALLEY (Div. 1 & 2)

Chaparral [2] (2037), Desert Mountain [2] (2339), Horizon [2] (2311), North Canyon [1] (2449), Pinnacle [2] (2174), St. Mary's [1] (778)

### DESERT WEST (Div. 1 & 2)

Centennial [2] (2144), Cesar Chavez [1] (2592), Ironwood [2] (2080), La Joya [2] (2207), Millennium [2] (1990), Tolleson [2] (2238), Westview [2] (2317)

### EAST VALLEY (Div. 1 & 2)

Casa Grande [1] (3320), Desert Ridge [1] (2397), Marcos de Niza [2] (1965), Mountain Pointe [1] (2446), Perry [2] (1891), Skyline [1] (2412), Westwood [1] (2874)

### FIESTA (Div. 1)

Brophy Prep (2506), Chandler (3226), Desert Vista (2920), Hamilton (3345), Mesa (3639), Red Mountain (3556), Xavier Prep (2400)

### GILA VALLEY (Div. 1 & 2)

Cibola [2] (2355), Gila Ridge [2] (2025), Kofa [1] (2513), Lake Havasu [2] (2060), San Luis [1] (2461), Yuma [2] (2110)

### METRO (Div. 1 & 2)

Alhambra [1] (2905), Betty Fairfax [2] (2000), Camelback [2] (1958), Carl Hayden [2] (2277), Central [2] (2265), Maryvale [1] (2637), North [1] (2549), South Mountain [2] (2001), Trevor Browne [1] (2902)

### NORTHWEST (Div. 1 & 2)

Barry Goldwater [2] (2034), Boulder Creek [2] (2253), Deer Valley [2] (2039), Kingman [2] (1974), Mountain Ridge [1] (2492), Sandra Day O'Connor [2] (2125), Valley Vista [2] (2338), Willow Canyon [2] (2175)

### SOUTHERN (Div. 1 & 2)

Buena [1] (2591), Ironwood Ridge [2] (1913), Marana Mountain View [2] (1964), Rincon [2] (2116), Salpointe Catholic [1] (1191), Sunnyside [2] (2264), Tucson [1] (2974)

## **4A CONFERENCE**

### DESERT SKY (Div. 1)

Apache Junction (1764), Cactus Shadows (1794), Campo Verde (1500), Combs (1735), McClintock (1778), Poston Butte (1725), Queen Creek (1700), Saguaro (1476)

### KINO (Div. 1)

Cienega (1834), Desert View (2090), Marana (1877), Nogales (1821), Sahuarco (1750)

### SONORAN (Div. 1)

Canyon Del Oro (1838), Catalina Foothills

(1759), Flowing Wells (1825), Pueblo (1960), Sabino (1374), Vista Grande (1800)

### WESTERN SKY (Div. 1)

Apollo (1804), Glendale (1680), Independence (1866), Moon Valley (1688), Prescott (1938), Shadow Mountain (1854), Sunnyslope (1784)

### WEST VALLEY (Div. 1)

Agua Fria (1714), Bradshaw Mountain (1747), Copper Canyon (1921), Dysart (1775), Peoria (1659), Raymond Kellis (1775), Sunrise Mountain (1786)

## **4A CONFERENCE**

### BLACK CANYON (Div. 2)

Cactus (1627), Cortez (1278), Greenway (1548), Paradise Valley (1578), Thunderbird (1620), Washington (1630)

### EAST SKY (Div. 2)

Arcadia (1590), Coronado (1317), Higley (1418), Maricopa (1473), Notre Dame Prep (945), Seton Catholic (547), Tempe (1347), Williams Field (1771)

### GILA (Div. 2)

Amphitheater (1450), Catalina (1404), Cholla (1645), Douglas (1346), Palo Verde (1484), Rio Rico (1157), Sahuarita (1412), Santa Rita (1291)

### GRAND CANYON (Div. 2)

Coconino (1204), Flagstaff (1443), Mingus Union (1235), Mohave (1536), Page (1044), Sinagua (966)

### SKYLINE (Div. 2)

Buckeye (1599), Desert Edge (1549), Liberty (1805), Shadow Ridge (1500), Sierra Linda (1535), Verrado (1650), Youngker (1347)

## **3A CONFERENCE**

### EAST

Alchesay (709), Blue Ridge (914), Payson (848), Round Valley (514), Show Low (820), Snowflake (712)

### NORTH

Chinle (1058), Ganado (744), Holbrook (752), Hopi (468), Monument Valley (890), Tuba City (822), Window Rock (842), Winslow (824)

### SOUTH

Coolidge (905), Empire (907), Florence (1046), Fountain Hills (824), Globe (641), Safford (793), San Tan Foothills (525), Santa Cruz (504)

### WEST

Chino Valley (829), Estrella Foothills (1097), Parker (527), River Valley (930), Sedona Red Rock (523), South Pointe (654), Wickenburg (785)

## **2A CONFERENCE**

### CENTRAL

Camp Verde (455), Horizon Honors (422), North Pointe Prep (451), Northwest Christian

(400), Phoenix Country Day (249), Scottsdale Christian (341), Tempe Prep (220), Valley Christian (399)

### EAST

Benson (414), Bisbee (388), Desert Christian (250), Morenci (343), Pima (215), Thatcher (429), Tombstone (341), Willcox (443)

### NORTH

Greyhills (428), Many Farms (430), Pinon (416), Red Mesa (328), Rough Rock (180), St. Johns (352), Valley (413), Williams (247)

### SOUTH

Baboquivari (278), Canyon State (374), Hayden (151), Miami (353), Pusch Ridge Christian (299), Ray (169), San Carlos (334), San Manuel (368)

### WEST

Antelope (350), Arizona Lutheran (185), Bourgade Catholic (402), Phoenix Christian (303), Precision (477), Tonopah Valley (425), Westwind Prep (293), Yuma Catholic (327)

## **1A CONFERENCE**

### EAST

Bowie (21), Cibecue (107), Clifton (47), Duncan (153), Ft. Thomas (159), Salt River (238), San Simon (37), Superior (142), Veritas Prep (191)

### NORTH

Ash Fork (88), Beaver Dam (161), Fredonia (87), Grand Canyon (92), Joseph City (163), Mogollon (172), Northland Prep (218), Rock Point (142), Seligman (70), Shonto Prep (134), St. Michael (158), White Cone (100)

### SOUTH

Academy of Tucson (173), Ajo (139), ASDB (79), Gila Bend (171), Green Fields (58), Immaculate Heart (79), Lourdes Catholic (76), Patagonia (91), St. Augustine (129), St. David (142), St. Gregory (164), Tanque Verde (244), Tohono O'odham (95), Valley Union (164)

### WEST

Bagdad (137), Joy Christian (150), Mayer (185), PDS (74), Salome (139), San Pasqual (175), St. Paul's (84), Surrey Garden (121), Orme (128), Valley Lutheran (174), Verde Valley (114)

*Enrollment numbers listed for each school. In some cases, those numbers are estimated, especially with new schools. Enrollment figures for single-sex schools are doubled.*

# Paradise Valley, Notre Dame, Cactus

## Top Three in 4A-2 Trophy Run



*The two-time defending state champs at the 4A-2 level are the Notre Dame Prep Saints. Newcomers to the classification – like Paradise Valley and Cactus – will certainly test Coach Scot Bemis and his club in 2009 (Paynter's Pics).*

Coach Donnie Yantis has been the head man at PARADISE VALLEY for nine years, posting a 62-38 mark. After checking in at 9-3 in 2008, the Trojans could reach even higher status in 2009 as they join the 4A-2 competition.

PVHS has a polished senior quarterback in Kevin Spain. This 6-2, 190-pounder completed 60% of his passes last season, throwing for 1,200 yards and 12 scores, with just two picks.

Yantis describes senior Jake Brown as, "one of the best two-way players in the state and a three-year starter for us." He plays running back and linebacker at 5-11 and 220 pounds.

The quickest Trojan is RB/LB Tyree

Parker (5-10, 215), who has tallied 2,600 yards rushing thus far in his terrific prep career.

Also lending a hand will be OG/LB Cyrus Way (6-0, 230, Sr.), TE/LB Travis Ramirez (6-0, 225, Sr.), TE/DE Austen Salazar (6-1, 245, Jr.) and OL/DL Joe Wylezik (6-2, 245, Sr.).

But don't expect NOTRE DAME PREP to give up its 4A-2 title without a rather large battle. The Saints have been near-perfect (27-1) the past two years in grabbing the top spot in this division.

Coach Scot Bemis should have another excellent squad; he welcomes back 28 letterwinners from his 14-0 outfit of a year ago.

One of the leaders – C/DT Blair Tushaus (6-3, 275) – has already made an oral commitment to play next year at Brigham Young University. It looks as though Tushaus may be out with a knee injury; if so, that will significantly hurt Notre Dame's prospects.

Bemis has a number of seniors, including QB Will King (6-5, 210), RB Devon Villarreal (5-11, 215), RB Jordan Geitz (5-11, 180), FB Jake Ely (5-10, 215), WR Skyler McCurdy (5-8, 155), WR Joe Verson (6-3, 180) and TE Brian Renfree (6-2, 215), to run his offense.

Besides Tushaus, Notre Dame's big boys are two-way linemen Ian Montague (6-2, 285, Jr.), Peter Igras (6-3, 230, Jr.),

Dan Fischer (6-2, 240, Sr.) and Kevin Dogren (5-10, 215, Sr.).

The CACTUS Cobras, under the guidance of Larry Fetkenhier, are certainly worthy contenders. Coach Fetkenhier has guided his teams to a sparkling 236-68-3 record in 25 years at CHS. Of course, no one knows exactly how the 4A-2 Division will play out in 2009, but we expect the Cobras to be in the mix.

An impressive 26 lettermen – but only three starters – are back on the field after finishing 8-4 last fall. There's good experience and balance between the skill positions and both lines.

Pacing the Cactus offensive attack will be QB Brody Ray (5-11, 175), RB Allen Woods (6-0, 191) and WR Ryan Cosic (6-2, 179) – all seniors.

Up front, Fetkenhier expects senior Patrick Blanar (6-3, 283), senior Christian Williams (6-2, 267) and junior Ryan Nowicki (6-5, 271) to clear the way.

The prime stopper on defense – and maybe the Cobras' top returning player – is LB Josh Sydzyik, a 6-2, 228-pound senior.

Coach Jim Beall has done a nice job at HIGLEY, where the Knights always seem to be in the 4A-2 playoffs and almost won the whole thing in 2006.

He has a very representative team again this time out, with a dozen lettermen back from his 7-4 2008 bunch. Members of last season's fine JV (6-1-1) will also play a role.

Three of the best are REC/DB Kelvin Fisher (6-0, 175, Jr.), RB/DB Emmanuel Caro del Castillo (5-8, 160, Sr.) and OL/DL Jordan Davy (5-10, 200, Sr.). Fisher has 4.6 speed.

There is plenty of size in OL/DL AJ Porras (6-3, 220, Sr.), OL/DL Harrison Stone (6-2, 210, Sr.), OL/DL Zach Wellborn (5-10, 220, Sr.), OL/DL James Hosobe (5-8, 200, Jr.) and TE/LB Ben Vaivao (6-0, 205, Sr.).

Senior Luke Magee will see action at both quarterback and in the secondary. He's a 5-8, 160-pounder.

Also in Coach Beall's plans are RB/LB TJ Mitchell (5-8, 115, Jr.), REC/LB Tomasz Barba (5-7, 160, Sr.) and RB/LB Damone Scott (5-10, 180, Sr.).

Coach Jim Ellison begins his second year at ARCADIA knowing he has one of the finest returning quarterbacks in Arizona high school football on his side.

The Titans did fairly well last year, reaching the playoffs before closing things out with a 7-5 ledger. Of course, QB Colby Kirkegaard (6-2, 180) was a big part of that. If this young man can put together a sensational senior campaign,

he just might land a Division I football scholarship in the months ahead.

He'll work with runners Pat Schrimsher (5-11, 205) and Jake Hirschi (5-7, 165), as well as primary receiver Joey Artigue (5-8, 165) – all seniors.

Bookends Jordan Christenson (5-10, 250) and Jerome Todechine (5-11, 240) will work in the trenches at tackle and center, respectively. Senior LB Connor McClain (5-10, 200) will join forces with Schrimsher to spark the Arcadia defense.

Altogether, 23 varsity veterans return, giving Ellison a solid foundation for a very good season.

GREENWAY has compiled a nifty 94-56 record with Mike Brown at the helm for 14 years. The Demons were good last year, finishing 10-3 and advancing to the 4A-2 semis before losing to eventual winner Notre Dame Prep.

A dozen varsity performers are back in uniform and Brown likes what he sees with players from last year's 8-0 junior varsity.

Headliners like QB/FS Chase Harpole (6-0, 180), QB/CB Daniel Rankin (6-3, 190), WR/DB Ryan Harper (6-2, 185) and OT/DE Mike Pawloski (6-3, 305) will vie for regional and state honors. All are twelfth-graders.

Also keep an eye on TB/CB Marshall Galbraith (5-7, 150, Sr.), OT/DT Josh Toose (6-7, 402, Jr.), OG/LB Josh Feldman (5-11, 228, Sr.), FB/LB Harrison Johnson (6-0, 190, Jr.) and WR/CB Ronnie Sellers (5-10, 150, Sr.).

From 4-7 in 2006, to 6-5 in 2007, to 11-2 in 2008. Very positive run for Coach B.J. Pasquel at CORONADO. Duplicating that '08 record and a trip to the 4A-2 state semifinals won't be easy for the Dons, with just seven returning starters on hand.

But it could happen, thanks to the outstanding play of superior athletes like OT/DE Sergio Arocha (6-1, 220, Sr.), QB/DE Alex Buya (6-3, 185, Jr.), OL/DB TJ Brown (5-11, 190, Sr.), WR/DB Colton Anderson (5-10, 155, Sr.), TE/LB Jairo Ibarra (5-10, 190, Sr.), WR/DB Kwame Webster (5-11, 155, Sr.), RB/DB Shawn Martin (5-9, 165, Sr.) and C/DL Jake Bissett (5-11, 180, Jr.).

After 33 years as a head coach at three schools in Indiana, Coach Rex Bowser heads into his second year as the head man at SETON CATHOLIC. The Sentinels prevailed in five of 11 contests in 2008. From that club, 11 regulars (17 lettermen) are back and figure heavily in Coach Bowser's plans.

Senior quarterback Justin Sieczkowski (6-3, 210) is highly regarded and will be

one of the better field generals in 4A football. And he's lucky enough to have some dependable targets in senior wideouts Trevor Cleisner (6-1, 175), Zac Awehder (6-1, 170) and Ken Whisenhunt (6-0, 170).

There's a first-rate running back in the form of senior Kyle Johnson (5-10, 180), who also doubles at linebacker on defense. The kicking chores will be handled by senior Michael Chavez (5-9, 140).

Junior Kevin McDonald (6-1, 259) and senior Zach Hendrickson (6-2, 230) are stalwarts on both sides of the line of scrimmage.

Steve Campbell has constructed a playoff contender at WILLIAMS FIELD, even though the Black Hearts' program is just a couple of years old.

An eye-opening 35 lettermen return for Coach Campbell, including a remarkable 20 starters. Ten seniors stand out. They are: RB/DB Brandon Warren (5-10, 185), MLB Dylon Koch (5-11, 200), QB/FS Nick Gaylord (6-1, 210), OT Andre Midence (6-2, 240), WR Aaron Hill (6-0, 170), FB/DT Larry Sandoliwi (6-0, 230), TE/LB Ryan Weybrecht (5-10, 190), TE/DE Deaton Wilson (6-1, 225), OG/DE Ryan Klienman (5-10, 205) and DB Eric Rewdon (5-11, 190).

Williams Field's varsity wound up 8-3, while the junior varsity won seven of eight games a year ago.

"We lost eight starters to injury last year," says BUCKEYE Head Coach Bobby Barnes. "If that happens again, it will be another five- or six-win season. If we stay healthy, we will be better than our nine-win team of 2007. This will be the fastest team I've ever had."

Eleven starters, paced by senior honors candidates Randy Hale Jr. (5-10, 165), David Banks (5-11, 165), Sammy Guerrero (5-11, 180) and Jaime Gastelum (6-0, 200), are back from last season's 5-5 team.

Hale is quick (4.6) and could see action at quarterback, running back and defensive back. Banks and Guerrero are top-notch wideouts and also play defensive back and linebacker, respectively. Gastelum is a two-way star at fullback and defensive end.

Barnes is also relying on good play from WR/FS Derrick Jefferson (5-9, 160, Sr.), WR/DB Yogi Hale (5-7, 155, Jr.), C/DL Robert Rangel (5-10, 215, Sr.), OL Francisco Chavez (6-2, 285, Sr.), OL/DL Ricky Higuera (5-9, 230, Jr.), OL/DL Hunter King (6-1, 220, Jr.) and WR/DB Andrew Holden (5-10, 160, Sr.).

THUNDERBIRD has dropped down from 4A-1 to 4A-2 this year; it's unclear whether or not the Chiefs will fare better than the 3-7 slate they put together in '08.

Coach Brent Wittenwyler has 16 lettermen (nine starters) returning and hopes are high a better record is just around the corner.

Senior WR Ryan Cowles (5-11, 180) leads a fine corps of receivers, along with WR Peter Baroldy (6-1, 190, Sr.), WR Michael Daoust (6-0, 185, Sr.) and TE Vince Personne (6-1, 195, Sr.). The quarterback figures to be Josh Ganados (5-11, 175, Sr.).

Additional contributions should come from OG/LB Connor Magness (6-1, 200, Jr.), OL/DL Brandon Martin (6-1, 240, Jr.), OL/LB Chris Delgado (6-0, 215, Sr.), SS Joel Flores (5-10, 185, Sr.), OL/DL William Munda (5-10, 215, Sr.) and RB/DB Andy Pellistri (5-8, 170, Sr.).

Playing an independent schedule in 2008, **LIBERTY** posted a respectable 6-6 slate in its first year of varsity competition. From that club, which had sophomores and juniors, but no seniors, Coach Dan Filleman has 32 lettermen (and all 22 starters) back on campus.

It's a lot to ask, but the Lions just might be playoff-bound; we'll see how the year unfolds. Filleman's best players could be QB/DB Keegan Whipkey (6-0, 180, Sr.), WR/DB Kyle Benedict (5-10, 170, Sr.), RB/LB Jeff Haney (5-11, 180, Sr.), RB/LB Dan Mihelich (5-9, 185, Sr.), DE Mitchell Kullos (6-1, 195, Sr.), WR/S Manny Noriega (5-7, 165, Jr.), WR Branden Croteau (6-4, 175, Jr.), C Ben Crites (6-0, 185, Sr.) and RB/LB Austin Hasquet (6-0, 185, Jr.).

Head Coach Jay Weinman has a nice nucleus of 22 varsity players back at **VERRADO**, where the young Vipers did their best and battled through a tough 1-7 season last fall.

## Phoenix Metro 4A-2 Top 15

- 1) Paradise Valley Trojans .....Spain, Brown, Parker Team Leaders
- 2) Notre Dame Prep Saints .....Going for Three State Titles in a Row
- 3) Cactus Cobras .....8-4 in 2008
- 4) Mingus Marauders .....Always in the Hunt
- 5) Higley Knights .....12 Returning Lettermen from 7-4 Unit
- 6) Arcadia Titans .....Kirkegaard Makes Titans Dangerous
- 7) Greenway Demons .....Harpole, Harper Key Passing Game
- 8) Coronado Dons .....Coach Pasquel With Another Solid Team
- 9) Seton Catholic Sentinels .....Sieczkowski Outstanding Signalcaller
- 10) Williams Field Black Hawks .....Young Team on the Right Track
- 11) Buckeye Hawks .....Speed to Burn for Coach Barnes
- 12) Washington Rams .....Played Santa Rita Tough in the '08 Playoffs
- 13) Tempe Buffaloes .....Looking for Postseason Action Again in '09
- 14) Thunderbird Chiefs .....Dropped Down from 4A-1
- 15) Liberty Lions .....Only Second Year of Varsity Football

Weinman has some good-sized linemen, namely OT/MLB Logan Guess (6-2, 230, Sr.), FB/DE Rafael Flores (5-10, 200, Sr.), OG/DE Jake Benson (5-10, 190, Jr.), C/DT Craig Pepper (5-9, 300, Sr.) and OG/DT Matt Deluna (5-9, 200, Sr.).

Junior Jake Benson (5-10, 190) and senior Colton Liggera (5-9, 155) are key cogs in the running game.

Coach Jason Stuewe is guiding the **YOUNKER** Roughriders towards their first varsity campaign. His squad will be dominated by a junior class which produced seven wins in eight games on last season's junior varsity.

The running back tandem of Johnny Dix (5-11, 175) and Edgar Chavez (5-10, 205) should furnish very respectable yardage; they'll also play strong safety and noseguard, respectively.

Others to watch are TE/DE Jorden Faenza (6-1, 195), WR/CB Charles Likong (5-10, 160), OG/DT Bryant Quinnones (5-9, 235), RB/LB Marquis Levy (5-9, 180), OT/DT Miguel Felix (6-1, 230, Jr.) and K David Naranjo (5-6, 160) – all juniors.

Meanwhile, at **SIERRA LINDA**, first-year Coach George Burgess and his Bulldogs will field only freshman and junior varsity squads in 2009. Varsity play will begin in 2010.

Burgess is counting on six sophomores – RB/LB Kellen Rodriguez (5-11, 165), WR/SS Adrian Nuanez (5-10, 160), QB Mike Golden (5-10, 170), OL/DL Carlos Juarez (5-11, 185), OL/DL Jose Quinones (5-9, 185) and WR/S Byron Guerra (5-10, 160).

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2006 Award Winner

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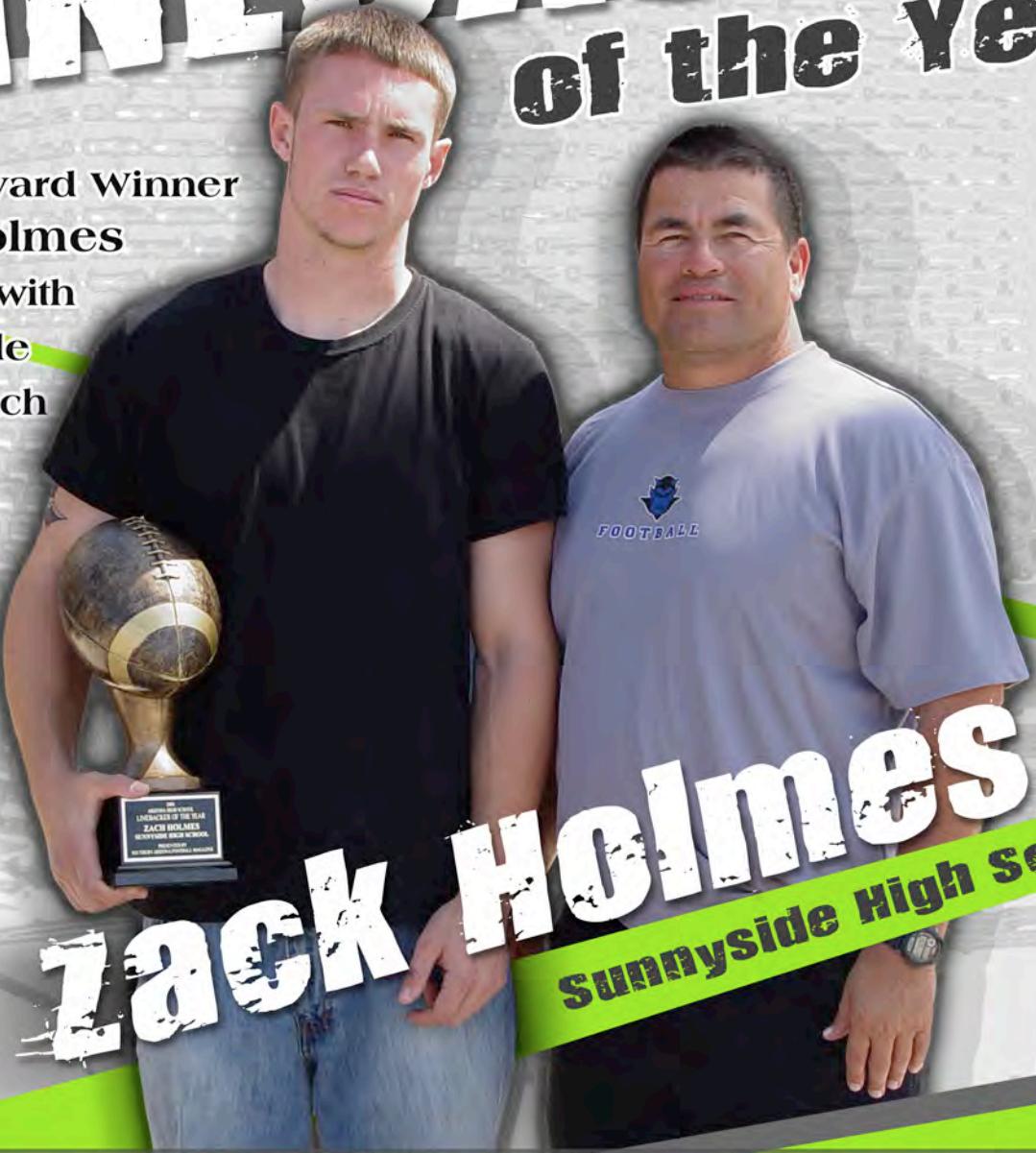
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2008 .. Matt Padilla, Brophy Prep  
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2006 .. Zach Holmes, Sunnyside  
2005 .. Gerald Munns, Hamilton  
2004 .. Matt Clapp, Paradise Valley  
2003 .. Zach Miller, Desert Vista  
2002 .. Brent Miller, Desert Vista  
2001 .. Adam Moro, Blue Ridge  
2000 .. David Coronado, Sunnyside  
1999 .. Austin Sendlein, Chaparral  
1998 .. Brian Gaffney, Brophy Prep  
1997 .. Mike Miller, Arizona Boys Ranch  
1996 .. Cody Price, Westwood  
1995 .. Steve Trejo, Casa Grande  
1994 .. Jeff Johnson, Peoria

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1992 .. Jim Sprotte, Blue Ridge  
1991 .. Jon McGee, Tucson Sahuarito  
1990 .. Aaron Franklin, Peoria  
1989 .. Daniel Taplin, Tempe  
1988 .. Luke Davis, Dobson  
1987 .. Jeremiah Clark, Mesa  
1986 .. Odel Stewart, Buena  
1985 .. Bob Davis, Mesa Mountain View  
1984 .. Craig Davis, Canyon del Oro  
1983 .. Tim Hicks, Sunnyslope  
1982 .. Randall McDaniel, Agua Fria  
1981 .. Darin Tupper, Trevor Browne  
1980 .. Jimmy Williams, Tempe  
1979 .. Todd Shell, Mesa Mountain View

1978 .. Kurt Whiteman, Scottsdale  
1977 .. Riki Gray, Tucson  
1973 .. Richard Rucker, Canyon del Oro  
1972 .. Tim Petersen, Ajo  
1971 .. Larry Gordon, Phoenix Union  
1970 .. Bob Breunig, Alhambra  
..... (TIE) Bill Crowe, McClintock  
1969 .. Bill Crowe, McClintock (jr)  
1968 .. Larry Delbridge, Coolidge  
1967 .. Jeff Quinn, Westwood  
1966 .. Jay Ray Rokey, Westwood  
1965 .. Bill Owsley, North  
1964 .. Ron Hendrix, Camelback  
1963 .. Dana Woudenberg, Arcadia  
1962 .. Fred Carr, Phoenix Union (jr)

Selection made by the editorial staff of the  
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# **KUKULSKI BROTHERS SALUTES THE CITY PLAYERS OF THE YEAR**

## **AVONDALE**

2008...Marquis Flowers (DB), Millennium  
2007...Cody Askew (L), Millennium  
2006...Mitch Wolfe (QB), Agua Fria

## **BUCKEYE**

2008...Tyler McArthur (TE), Buckeye  
2007...Eddie Allen (DB), Buckeye  
2006...Trey Nahrgang (RB), Buckeye

## **DEER VALLEY**

2008...Kevin Yost (QB), Mountain Ridge  
2007...John May (OL), Barry Goldwater  
2006...Tyler Hosler (QB), Deer Valley

Athletes from Agua Fria,  
Desert Edge, Millennium and  
Verrado are eligible for this award.

Athletes from Buckeye,  
Estrella Foothills and Youngker  
are eligible for this award.

Athletes from Barry Goldwater,  
Boulder Creek, Deer Valley,  
Mountain Ridge and SD O'Connor  
are eligible for this award.

## **HIGLEY**

2008...R.J. Arriaga (DL), Higley  
2007...Alex Jentzen (RB), Higley  
2006...Tito Gonzales (RB/LB), Higley

## **PARADISE VALLEY**

2008...Ebo Makinde (DB), Paradise Valley  
2007...Tyree Parker (RB), Paradise Valley  
2006...Jordan Scott (RB), North Canyon

## **SURPRISE**

2008...Alex Pimental (WR), Dysart  
2007...Chris Robinson (WR), Willow Canyon  
2006...Richard Gilgore (QB), Dysart

Athletes from Higley and  
Williams Field are eligible  
for this award.

Athletes from Horizon,  
North Canyon, Paradise Valley,  
Pinnacle and Shadow Mountain  
are eligible for this award.

Athletes from Dysart, Valley Vista  
and Willow Canyon are eligible  
for this award.

# 3A-2A-1A Teams in Full-Scale Practice As 2009 Kickoff Nears



*There's nothing quite like winning a state championship. In this photo, the Payson Longhorns have just captured the 2008 3A football crown at the NAU Skydome in Flagstaff. It was their first title in a decade (Paynter's Pics).*

Coach Jim Fairfield should put another fine team on the field at **FOUNTAIN HILLS** this season. He had done plenty of that in his 17 years with the Falcons, compiling a very solid 103-70 overall record.

His 2008 squad was one of his best, winning 11 of 13 contests and advancing to the state semifinals. Fairfield returns 18 lettermen, including 13 starters, from that team. And help is on the way from a 7-2 junior varsity.

The skill positions will be manned by the likes of QB Conner Brinton (6-0, 180, Sr.), FB Beau Hilgemann (6-1, 210, Sr.), WR Jordon Henslen (5-11, 175, Sr.), RB Bryce Scannell (5-10, 170, Sr.), RB Rainer Grewstreet (6-1, 180, Jr.) and TE Nathan Shooks (5-11, 190, Jr.). All of those players will see action on the defensive side of the football too.

The Falcons have good size in OL/DT Tyler Bode (6-7, 290, Jr.), OL/DL Alex Forehond (6-3, 215, Sr.) and DT Kelby Sand (6-1, 245, Sr.).

Others to watch include MLB Chase Borron (5-10, 180, Sr.), FS Brandon Vigneux (5-11, 180, Sr.), OL Nick Underwood (6-0, 175, Sr.) and OL/DE Nathan Shooks (5-11, 190, Jr.).

Coach Rich Hoyt has the Wolves of **ESTRELLA FOOTHILLS** playing well. The '08 varsity finished up at 9-3 and 22 lettermen return from that club. The JV was perfect (9-0) a year ago.

Returning performers include QB/DB Wes Budge (6-2, 180, Sr.), TE/LB Troy Coleman (6-1, 180, Sr.), WR/DB Avery Boykin (5-10, 170, Sr.), RB/LB Michael Macko (5-10, 170, Sr.), OL/DL Travis James (6-1, 200, Sr.) and OL/DL John

Laughner (6-2, 230, Jr.). Budge, Coleman and Boykin are strong candidates for individual postseason honors.

The Wolves are also counting on RB/LB Nijhel Simmons (5-11, 190, Sr.), RB/LB Anthony Alfonso (5-9, 160, Jr.), OL/DL Michael Bentley (6-2, 270, Jr.) and K/LB Erik Eggert (5-9, 175, Sr.) to help chalk up a whole bunch of wins.

**SANTA CRUZ VALLEY**, under the guidance of Coach Al Ocampo, split its 10-game schedule last year. There are nine varsity veterans still in uniform, so the Dust Devils have the potential to improve. Obviously, some youngsters are going to have to play key roles too.

The linebacking tandem of Major Harris (6-0, 250, Sr.) and Ricky Cortez (6-0, 225, Jr.) is the backbone of the defense. Senior DE Roger Frost, a 6-0, 175-

pounder, can also be a very disruptive force for opponents.

The Dust Devils will also feature C Andres Aceves (5-11, 175, Jr.), REC Alejandro Arredondo (5-10, 170, Sr.), REC Tim Currier (6-3, 190, Sr.), RB Kadeem Fields (5-10, 180, Sr.), REC Chase House (5-10, 160, Sr.) and WB Azariah Luna (5-9, 175, Sr.).

**FLORENCE** should bounce back strongly from a subpar 1-9 campaign last year, thanks to the presence of 15 returning starters.

"Last year we played with one senior with varsity experience – LB Chase Simon," says Coach George De La Torre. "That's the reason for so many returnees."

The best of the best are TE/DE Brandon Bourlier (6-5, 240, Sr.), DE Hector Calunga (6-1, 210, Sr.), RB/LB C.J. Williams (5-10, 200, So.), RB/LB Cade Clemons (5-11, 190, Jr.) and WR/DB Kyle Washington (6-1, 190, Jr.).

De La Torre also likes what he sees with DT Julian Dominguez (6-0, 260, Sr.), OL Randy Rees (6-1, 190, Sr.), C Clayton Monks (6-2, 210, Sr.), LB Alex Herrera (5-9, 170, Sr.), OG Gary Ramirez (5-10, 240, Sr.) and QB Jace Hulsey (5-11, 170, Jr.).

Others to watch include OG Sobos Garcia (6-0, 220, Jr.), OT Vincent Richey (6-0, 315, Jr.), LB Cody Williams (5-10, 200, Jr.), DT Anthony Montonez (6-1, 210, Sr.), RB/LB K Jose Perez (5-10, 170, Jr.), RB Andrew White (5-8 150, Jr.), LB Derek Walker (5-10, 170, Jr.), OG Keith Theirel (5-10, 180, Sr.), WR/DB Chuck Smith (5-9, 160, Jr.) and WR Christian Promrej (5-8, 150, Sr.).

The FHS junior varsity and freshman teams compiled records of 7-2 and 10-0 last year, respectively. Some of those players will also contribute in 2009 as the Gophers' varsity reaches for more success.

Coach Arna Bontempts is in his first year at **SOUTH POINTE**, where last fall's varsity unit won four of nine outings. He takes over a squad that returns seven lettermen, headed by WR/QB Shawn Bailey (5-11, 185, Sr.), OT/DT Arturo Borrego (6-5, 275, Jr.), FB/LB Jose Palos (5-10, 220, Sr.) and C/LB Carl Jules (5-9, 205, Sr.).

At the 2A level, **VALLY CHRISTIAN** has been nearly unbeatable under the direction of Coach Bill Morgan. The Trojans were 9-3 last year, winning the regional championship and advancing to the state semifinals. That's impressive enough.

But VCHS is an eye-opening 42-7 in the four years since Morgan assumed control of the team. Of course, the Trojans won the title in 2005 and finished second in 2006, so excellence has been part of the Valley Christian football programs for some time.

Eight players, led by QB/S/P Jordan Morgan (6-1, 198, Jr.), RB/OLB Blake

Argo (5-7, 155, Sr.) and OG/DE Joel Ballew (6-3, 240, Sr.), should set the pace this season.

Morgan is a two-time all-stater. Argo earned all-region honors after scampering for 1,109 yards and 15 touchdowns last year. Ballew was an all defensive lineman in '08.

Additional support comes from RB/CB Addison Bare (5-9, 160, Sr.), FL/FS James Fitzgerald (5-9, 150, Sr.), TE/DE Kyle O'Brien (6-3, 190, Sr.), TE/DE Drew Bond (6-3, 195, Jr.) and C/DT Colton Udall (6-2, 250, Jr.).

How about those Crusaders at **NORTHWEST CHRISTIAN**? They finished 10-2 last year and Coach Derek Wahlstrom welcomes back 21 lettermen. It's a high-achieving group.

Quarterback Nathan Labarbera (6-2, 190) will have the likes of OT Jordan Hines (6-4, 294, Sr.), C Logan Hines (6-3, 287, Sr.) and OL Travis Lidser (6-3, 250, Jr.) protecting him.

The receivers are wideout Vince Neteel (6-0, 180, Sr.) and TE Ben Mullings (6-3, 210, Sr.), while RB Casey Jahn (6-1, 190, So.) will carry the pigskin a lot. Kicker Nate Bowman (5-10, 160, Sr.) could also assist with the win-total again this year.

Eight offensive and eight defensive regulars are back in uniform for Coach Jeff Fox at **SCOTTSDALE CHRISTIAN**. Altogether, 23 letterwinners return from last year's 8-3 bunch.

The '09 Eagles will be led by C/DL Francis Eusebio (6-2, 225, Sr.), OL/DL Luke Siwek (6-0, 265, Jr.), OL/DL Scott Aufderheide (6-3, 235, Sr.) and OL/DL Jordan Tyler (6-3, 240, Jr.) in the battles up front.

If they win enough of those skirmishes, skill-position performers like WR/DB Brett Miller (6-0, 175, Sr.), RB/LB Adam Siwek (5-10, 175, Sr.), RB/DB Jenson Cruse (6-0, 170, Sr.), TE/DB Austin Dahmer (6-2, 180, Sr.), QB/LB Miller Bentley (6-2, 200, Jr.), RB/LB Josh O'Neill (5-11, 195, Jr.) and RB/DB Chauncey Wright (5-8, 155, Jr.) will shine brightly.

Head mentor Luke Steege is hoping his club at **CAMP VERDE** can make some noise in 2009. The Cowboys split their 12-game schedule last year; in fact, Steege is beginning his tenth year as the head coach at CVHS and his overall record is 50-50.

Expect QB/S Mike Boler (5-9, 180, Sr.), OL/DT Nathan Geyer (6-0, 215, Sr.), OL/DT Michael Toth (5-8, 180, Sr.), OL/DE Noah Bullard (6-4, 205, Sr.), OL/DE Tucker Rezzonico (6-1, 195, Sr.), RB/LB Donovan Kilby (5-8, 170, Sr.), RB/CB Ty Wantland (5-6, 150, Sr.), TE/LB Randy Justus (5-7, 150, Sr.), RB/LB Tanner Rezzonico (6-0, 175, Sr.), OL/DE Cameron Stewart (6-1, 190, Jr.) and TE/LB Jake Spleiss (6-3, 195, So.) to have big years for the Cowboys.

Head Coach Chris Andreadis wants

his Golden Eagles to taste victory more frequently this fall. **BOURGADE** was 2-8 last year, so there's some work to be done.

A dozen varsity returnees will help. Keep an eye on QB Blake Comella (6-1, 180, Jr.), RB/LB Michael Enriques (5-11, 180, Sr.), OL/DL Michael Weikamp (6-3, 210, Sr.), OL/DL Alex Sawyer (6-0, 230, Sr.), OL/DL Frank Rivera (6-2, 250, Jr.), OL/DL Nate Rodriguez (6-0, 225, Jr.), WR/DB Blake Heinley (5-9, 175, Jr.), RB/DB Ryan Rodiles (5-9, 175, Jr.), LB Guillermo Flores (5-11, 180, Jr.) and WR/DB Richard Villa (5-9, 175, Jr.).

There's a new coach at **ARIZONA LUTHERAN**; Scott Indahl takes over the Coyotes and has 17 returning letterwinners with which to work.

Well-respected two-way lineman Chris Mundstock (6-3, 210, Sr.) heads the list. Also back from last season's 3-7 team are OG/LB Jeremy Leon (5-11, 230, Sr.), OG/DT Jacob Flokerts (6-0, 250, Jr.), QB/DB Nat Hall (5-11, 180, Jr.), WR/DB Jered Mann (6-0, 180, Sr.) and RB/DB Jeremiah Acorn (5-10, 180, Sr.).

**CANYON STATE**, with new coach Simon Ocampo on board, returns just one starter for last season's 4-7 squad.

Coach Ocampo anticipates his best players will be QB J. Heim (6-0, 175, Sr.), OT M. Davis (6-2, 220, Sr.), LB M. Sanders (5-10, 200, Sr.), WR D. Grimes (5-11, 170, Fr.) and LB L. Daugherty (6-0, 205, Sr.).

**WESTWIND**, 0-10 in 2008, also hired a new coach in the offseason, turning the reins over to Kent Lavine. He'll have 15 lettermen back to improve in all categories. Versatile senior Francisco Tellez (5-10, 180) will serve as a wideout, defensive end and punter. He'll share time in the secondary with RB/DB Anthony Aceves (6-0, 185, Sr.) and QB/DB Dylon Gomes (6-0, 180, Sr.).

The lines will be anchored by Travis Lavine (6-2, 195, Jr.), Marcus Waldron (6-0, 260, Jr.), Mike Stephens (5-11, 205, Jr.) and Nick Perkins (5-9, 230, Sr.).

Ten letterwinners are back in uniform for Head Coach Bob Wolf at **VALLY LUTHERAN**. They'll try to help move the Flames past the .500 mark this year, after winding up 3-5 in '08.

Mainstays are TE/DE/P Aaron Krause (5-11, 190, Sr.), RB/CB Matt Gabrielson (5-10, 165, Sr.), FB/LB Austin Cook (6-0, 225, Sr.), QB/FS Luke Wolkos (5-10, 145, Sr.), C/DT Matt Ryan (6-0, 205, Jr.), OG/DT Stephen Siebert (6-1, 190, Sr.), FB/LB Nate Saari (5-11, 185, Jr.) and WR/DE Nick Saari (6-2, 190, Jr.).

**SALT RIVER** has hired Troy Head to assume its head coaching position. He's introduced himself to 10 returnees, including RB/DB Micah Butler (5-7, 170, Sr.), LB Luis Lopez (5-11, 195, Jr.) and OL/DL Keith Andreas (6-4, 290, Sr.).

The 2008 SRHS team finished 5-4 on the year.

# KUKULSKI BROTHERS, INC. SALUTES ARIZONA'S HIGH SCHOOL DEFENSIVE BACK OF THE YEAR



Coach Richard Taylor and Jarrell Barbour of Centennial celebrate a second straight 5A-2 state championship to end the 2007 season.

2008..... Paul Porras, Scottsdale Saguaro  
2007..... Jarrell Barbour, Centennial  
2006..... Glenn Love, Hamilton  
2005..... Jonathan Ott, Mountain Ridge (jr)  
2004..... Austin Martin, Mountain Ridge  
2003..... Myrio Davis, Hamilton  
2002..... Adam Patterson, St. Johns  
2001..... Mike Nixon, Sunnyslope  
2000..... Chaz Scott, Hamilton  
1999..... Marcus Thurman, Desert Vista  
1998..... Bobby Wade, Desert Vista  
1997..... Brandon Falkner, Peoria  
1996..... Rashad Bauman, South Mountain  
1995..... Mike Brown, Scottsdale Saguaro  
1994..... Eric Johnson, Alhambra  
1993..... Corey Hill, Sabino  
1992..... Mitchell Freedman, Maryvale  
1991..... James Richardson, Bradshaw Mountain (jr)  
1990..... Eddie Cade, Santa Cruz  
1989..... Billy Burris, Florence  
1988..... Mike Salmon, Greenway  
1987..... Tyrone Byrd, Chandler  
1986..... Nathan LaDuke, Alhambra  
1985..... Cleveland Colter Jr., McClintock

1984..... John Giaspie, Central  
1983..... Anthony Parker, McClintock  
1982..... Chuck Nixon, Shadow Mountain  
1981..... Shawn Benson, Mesa Mountain View  
1980..... George Duarte, Sunnyside (jr)  
1979..... Mossy Cade, Santa Cruz  
1978..... Jeff Colter, Amphitheater  
1977..... Charles Cobbs, Florence  
1976..... Felix Kelson, South Mountain  
1975..... David Given, McClintock  
1974..... Harold Smith, Florence  
1973..... Rob Wilson, Coronado  
1972..... Carl Russell, McNary  
1971..... Danny Smith, Safford (jr)  
1970..... Derral Davis, Tucson  
1969..... Dick Harris, Westwood (jr)  
1968..... Joe Petroshus, Tucson  
1967..... Rudy Quihuis, Pueblo  
1966..... Bill Diley, Arcadia  
1965..... Bill Diley, Arcadia (jr)  
1964..... LeRoy Peoples, Marana  
1963..... Earliest Nelson, South Mountain  
1962..... James Dugan, Flagstaff (jr)  
1961..... Elby Bushong, Washington

Jarrell Barbour, the 2007 Arizona High School Defensive Back of the Year, was selected by the editorial staff of the Phoenix Metro Football Magazine (Paynter's Pics).

# 1A State Championship Bracket

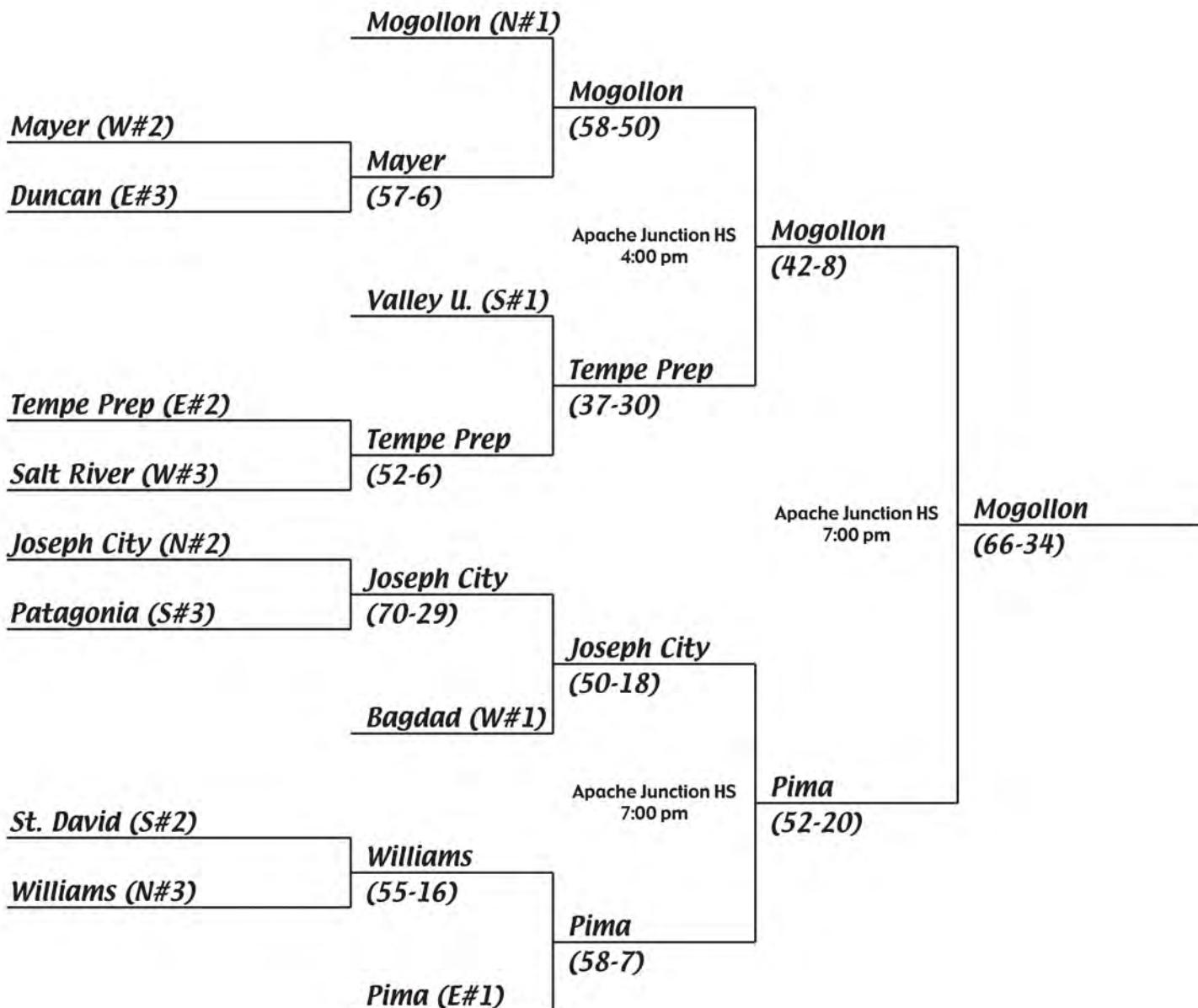
2008 Season in Review

Fri., Oct. 24th

Fri., Oct. 31st

Sat., Nov. 8th

Sat., Nov. 15th



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# 2A State Championship Bracket

2008 Season in Review

Fri., Nov. 7th

Fri., Nov. 14th

Sat., Nov. 22nd

Sat., Nov. 29th

*Phoenix Christian (#1)**Antelope (#16)**Phx Christian*

(35-0)

*Scottsdale Christian (#8)**Phx Christian*

(28-21)

*Thatcher (#9)**Scottsdale C.*

(29-22)

*Pusch Ridge Christian (#5)*

North Canyon HS

2:00 pm

*Camp Verde (#12)**Camp Verde*

(23-13)

*Benson (#4)**Benson*

(28-7)

*Morenci (#13)**Benson*

(68-28)

*Valley Christian (#3)**St. Johns*

(42-17)

*Hayden (#14)**Valley Chr.*

(45-6)

*Northwest Christian (#6)**Valle Chr.*

(60-21)

*Ray (#11)**Northwest C.*

28-27, ot)

*Yuma Catholic (#7)*

North Canyon HS

5:00 pm

*Red Mesa (#10)**Yuma Catholic*

(63-24)

*St. Johns (#2)**St. Johns**St. Johns*

(42-14)

*San Manuel (#15)**St. Johns*

(42-0)

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# ARIZONA'S KICKER OF THE YEAR



Alex Zendejas of Ironwood High School, the Arizona High School Kicker of the Year for 2006, was selected by the editorial staff of the Phoenix Metro Football Magazine.

- 2008.... Danny Compton, Paradise Valley
- 2007.... Ben Pigg, Bradshaw Mountain
- 2006.... Alex Zendejas, Ironwood
- 2005.... Ezra Ricks, Cactus
- 2004.... Kyle Day, Sahuarita
- 2003.... Bubba Bradley, Cactus
- 2002.... Esteban Bayona, Marcos de Niza
- 2001.... Erik Contos, Red Mountain
- 2000.... Ryan Slack, Salpointe Catholic
- 1999.... Scott Lane, Chaparral
- 1998.... Ramey Peru, Dobson
- 1997.... Josh Lane, Phoenix Christian
- 1996.... Jeremy Kelley, Mesa Mountain View
- 1995.... Jim Sanson, St. Mary's
- 1994.... Jim Sanson, St. Mary's
- 1993.... Matt Belden, Glendale
- 1992.... Marcus Williams, McClintock
- 1991.... Matt Peyton, Tucson Sahuaro
- TIE..... Dominic DeMark, Prescott
- 1990.... Cole Ford, Sabino
- 1989.... Terry Belden, Glendale
- 1988.... Jeff Black, Tucson Sahuaro
- 1987.... Steve Rausch, Dobson
- 1986.... Quin Rodriguez, Dobson
- 1985.... Mike Cortright, St. Mary's
- 1984.... Mike Schuh, Mesa Mountain View
- TIE..... Phil Insalaco, Phoenix Christian
- 1983.... Dean Roney, Winslow
- 1982.... Richard Jones, Chaparral
- 1981.... Jerry Necoechea, Bisbee
- 1980.... Jerry Necoechea, Bisbee
- 1979.... Dave Wood, Washington
- 1978.... Matt McKinney, Scottsdale Saguaro
- 1977.... Bill Zivic, Palo Verde
- 1976.... Kevin Rutledge, Gilbert
- 1975.... Monte Varah, Scottsdale Saguaro
- 1974.... Gary Williams, Blue Ridge
- 1973.... Lee Pistor, Central
- 1972.... Pat Whitehurst, North
- 1971.... Pat Hawbaker, St. Mary's
- 1970.... Jeff Hernandez, Miami
- 1969.... Danny White, Westwood
- 1968.... Cleveland Colter, Marana
- 1967.... Luis Vega, Phoenix West
- TIE..... Marty Shuford, Scottsdale Saguaro
- 1966.... Luis Vega, Phoenix West
- 1965.... Jim McCann, North
- 1964.... Ron Hendrix, Camelback
- 1963.... Sam Maya, Glendale

# 3A State Championship Bracket

2008 Season in Review

Sat., Nov. 8th

Sat., Nov. 15th Sat., Nov. 22nd Sat., Nov. 29th

Payson (#1)Holbrook (#16)*Payson*  
(62-0)Safford (#8)Snowflake (#9)*Snowflake*  
(34-21)*Payson*  
(36-19)Round Valley (#5)Chino Valley (#12)*Round Valley*  
(38-7)Wickenburg (#4)Coolidge (#13)*Wickenburg*  
(28-7)Paradise Valley HS  
7:00 pm*Payson*  
(28-7)Fountain Hills (#3)Show Low (#14)*Fountain Hills*  
(20-17)Winslow (#6)Window Rock (#11)*Winslow*  
(68-28)NAU Skydome  
5:07 pm*Payson*  
(34-33, 2ot)Estrella Foothills (#7)Empire (#10)*E. Foothills*  
(14-7)*Fountain Hills*  
(43-27)Paradise Valley HS  
4:00 pm*Blue Ridge*  
(40-0)Blue Ridge (#2)Santa Cruz (#15)*Blue Ridge*  
(40-0)*Blue Ridge*  
(46-7)

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# 4A-1 State Championship Bracket

2008 Season in Review

Fri., Nov. 14th

Fri., Nov. 21st

Fri., Nov. 28th

Sat., Dec. 6th

Saguaro (#1)Lake Havasu (#16)Saguaro

(59-14)

Sabino (#8)Saguaro

(28-10)

Cactus (#9)Cactus

(37-3)

Millennium (#5)Millennium

(45-21)

Peoria (#4)Peoria

(33-27)

Sunnyslope (#13)Peoria

(55-7)

Paradise Valley (#3)Paradise V.Catalina Foothills (#14)

(21-7)

Canyon Del Oro (#6)CDO

(27-20)

Prescott (#11)CDO

(54-21)

Cienega (#7)

North Canyon HS

3:00 pm

Apache Junction (#10)Cienega

(31-7)

Chaparral (#2)Chaparral

(35-21)

Agua Fria (#15)Chaparral

(51-7)

Paradise Valley HS  
7:07 pmSaguaro  
(17-14)Sun Devil Stadium  
3:07 pmSaguaro  
(38-0)**NEED SHORTS?**Call Kukulski Brothers!  
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# 4A-2 State Championship Bracket

2008 Season in Review

Fri., Nov. 14th

Fri., Nov. 21st

Fri., Nov. 28th

Sat., Dec. 6th

**Notre Dame Prep (#1)**Sahuarita (#16)Notre Dame

(28-13)

Amphitheater (#8)Notre Dame

(54-16)

Mingus (#9)Mingus

(28-20)

Greenway (#5)GreenwayTempe (#12)

(35-13)

North Canyon HS  
7:00 pmQueen Creek (#4)Greenway

(22-21)

Moon Valley (#13)Queen Creek

(35-10)

Palo Verde (#3)Palo VerdeBuckeye (#14)

(37-20)

Santa Rita (#6)Santa Rita

(23-21)

Washington (#11)Santa Rita

(28-20)

Sun Devil Stadium  
11:07 amHigley (#7)ArcadiaArcadia (#10)

(35-33)

Coronado (#2)Coronado

(55-27)

Bradshaw Mountain (#15)Coronado

(40-19)

Paradise Valley HS  
3:07 pmSanta Rita

(47-13)

Notre Dame  
(30-26)

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# 5A-1 State Championship Bracket

2008 Season in Review

Fri., Nov. 14th

Fri., Nov. 21st

Fri., Dec. 5th

Fri., Dec. 12th

Mesa Mountain View (#1)Tucson (#16)Mesa Mt. View

(43-6)

Corona del Sol (#8)Mesa Mt. View

(29-8)

Cesar Chavez (#9)Corona del Sol

(57-26)

Brophy Prep (#5)McClintock HS  
7:00 pmBasha (#12)Brophy Prep

(17-7)

Desert Vista (#4)Brophy Prep

(34-10)

Highland (#13)Highland

(16-0)

Salpointe Christian (#3)Hamilton  
(17-10)Mesa (#14)Salpointe

(55-28)

Mountain Ridge (#6)Red Mountain

(57-47)

Red Mountain (#11)Red Mountain

(21-14)

Chandler (#7)Gilbert HS  
5:00 pmGilbert (#10)Chandler

(29-25)

Hamilton (#2)Hamilton

(14-0)

North Canyon (#15)Hamilton

(49-0)

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# 5A-2 State Championship Bracket

2008 Season in Review

Fri., Nov. 14th

Fri., Nov. 21st

Fri., Dec. 5th

Fri., Dec. 12th

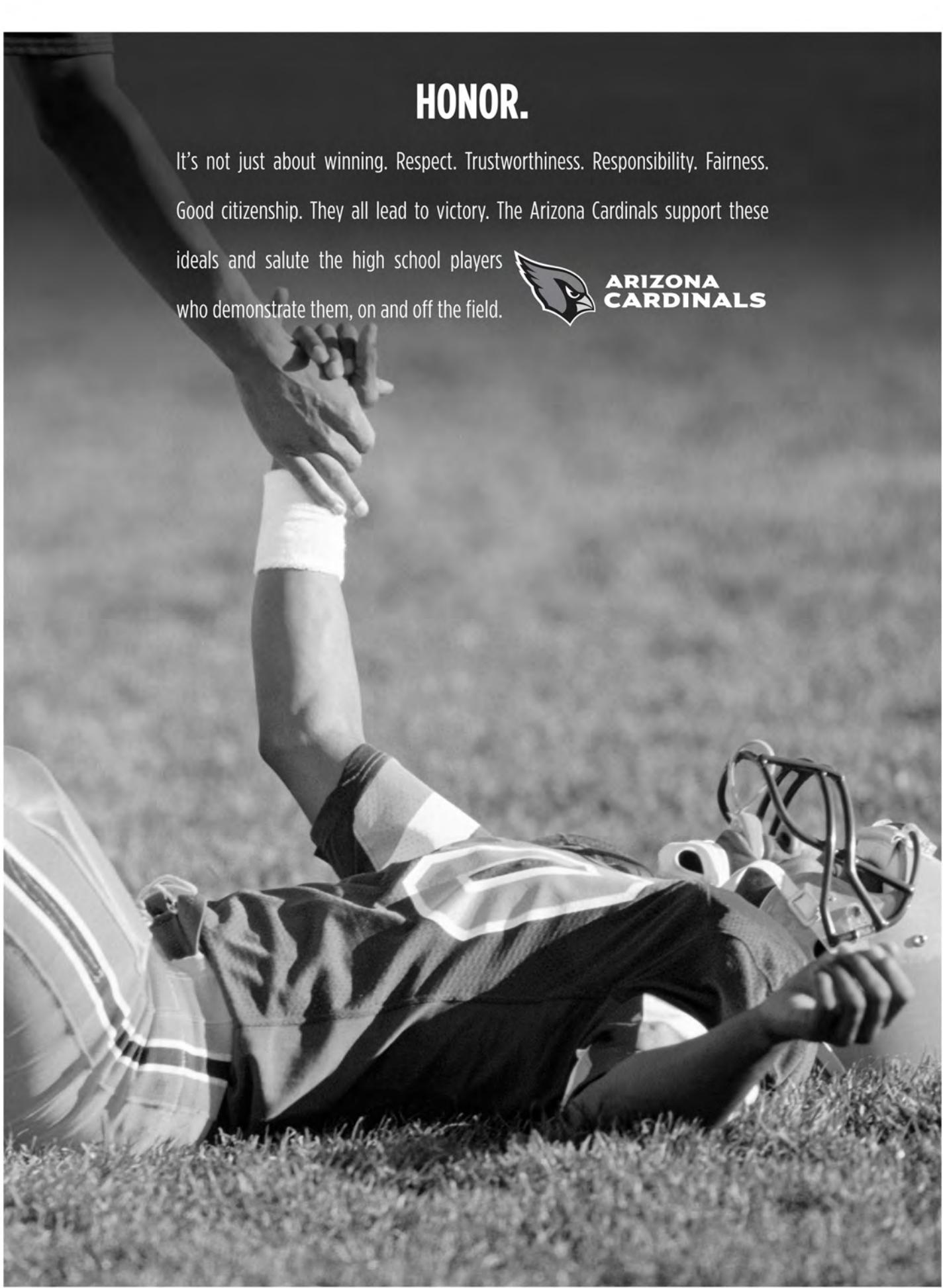
*Centennial (#1)**Kofa (#16)**Centennial (48-6)**Desert Ridge (#8)**Centennial (35-7)**Pinnacle (#9)**Desert Ridge (36-7)**Sunnyside (#5)*McClintock HS  
7:00 pm*South Mountain (#12)**Sunnyside (33-7)**Ironwood Ridge (#4)**Ironwood R. (24-17)**North (#13)**Ironwood R. (51-9)**Marcos de Niza (#3)*Univ. of Phx Stadium  
4:07 pm*Deer Valley (#14)**MDN (44-14)**La Joya (#6)**MDN (38-3)**Skyline (#11)**Skyline (50-28)**Boulder Creek (#7)*Gilbert HS  
5:00 pm*Willow Canyon (#10)**Boulder Creek (20-7)**Westview (#2)**Westview (35-10)**Marana Mt. View (#15)**Westview (48-14)**Centennial (20-7)*

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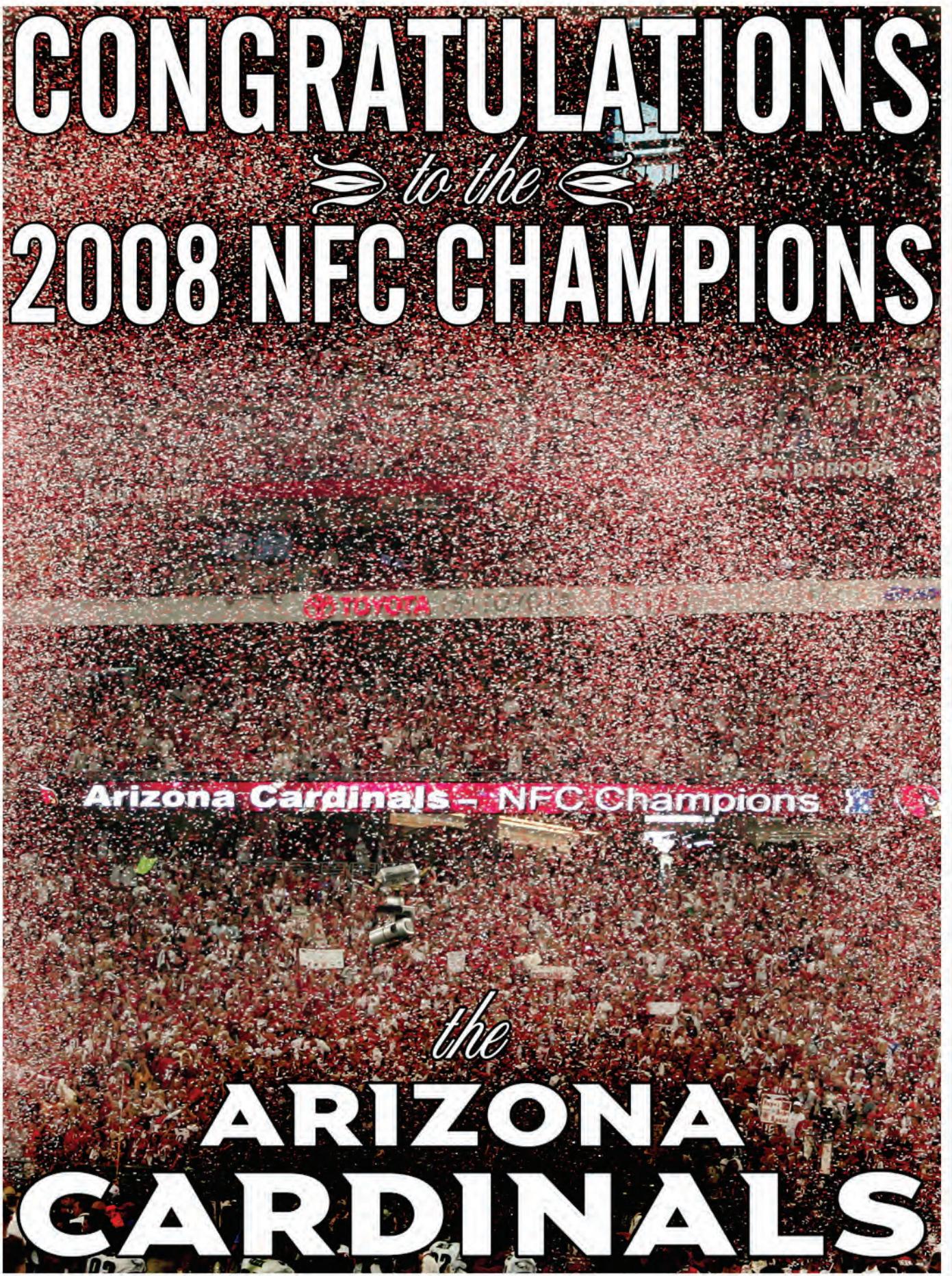
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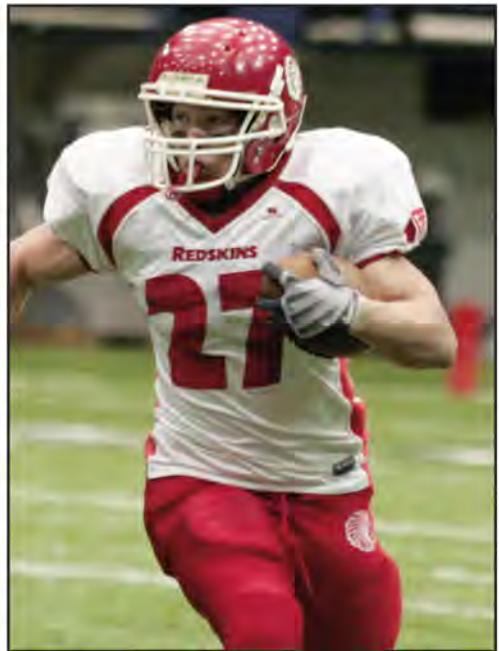
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# 2008 All-Arizona Honorees

## OFFENSIVE TEAM

QB .....	Matt Inman, Yuma Catholic, 6-0, 180, Sr.
RB .....	Shad Bride, St. Johns, 5-11, 205, Sr.
RB .....	Adam Hall, Palo Verde, 6-5, 210, Sr.
RB .....	John Hughes, Centennial, 5-6, 170, Sr.
RB .....	Jamal Miles, Peoria, 5-10, 180, Sr.
WR .....	J.J. Holliday, Santa Rita, 6-0, 165, Sr.
WR .....	Drew Terrell, Hamilton, 6-0, 185, Sr.
TE .....	Tyler French, Dobson, 6-3, 235, Sr.
TE .....	Max Smith, Saguaro, 6-3, 250, Sr.
OL .....	Kody Koebensky, Saguaro, 6-3, 290, Sr.
OL .....	Taylor Lewan, Chaparral, 6-7, 270, Sr.
OL .....	Chris Putton, Cactus, 6-5, 290, Sr.
OL .....	Nick Rowland, Centennial, 6-4, 290, Jr.
OL .....	Doug Zismann, Shadow Mountain, 6-3, 280, Sr.
K/P .....	Danny Compton, Paradise Valley, 5-10, 190, Sr.



Shad Bride led St. Johns to 2A state titles in 2007 and 2008, rushing for 5,687 yards and 105 TDs in his record-breaking career (Paynter's Pics).



Millennium's Marquis Flowers is one of only two underclassmen on this year's All-Arizona team. He's definitely a player to watch in 2009 (Paynter's Pics).

## DEFENSIVE TEAM

DL .....	Corey Adams, Saguaro, 6-3, 280, Sr.
DL .....	Bryan Burke, Payson, 6-4, 230, Sr.
DL .....	(injured) Devon Kennard, Desert Vista, 6-3, 250, Sr.
DL .....	Jimmie Lewis, Centennial, 6-1, 215, Sr.
DL .....	Trenton Murphy, Brophy Prep, 6-6, 240, Sr.
DL .....	Craig Roh, Chaparral, 6-4, 240, Sr.
LB .....	Anthony Jones, Hamilton, 6-1, 200, Sr.
LB .....	Matt Padilla, Brophy Prep, 5-11, 205, Sr.
LB .....	Anthony Rose, Marcos de Niza, 6-2, 205, Sr.
DB .....	Marquis Flowers, Millennium, 6-2, 190, Jr.
DB .....	Bryce Lamb, Chandler, 6-1, 190, Sr.
DB .....	Ebo Makinde, Paradise Valley, 6-0, 175, Sr.
DB .....	Ryan Milus, Hamilton, 5-10, 155, Sr.
DB .....	Paul Porras, Saguaro, 6-1, 173, Sr.
KR .....	Jeremiah Cornist, La Joya, 5-9, 165, Sr.

# CITY PLAYER OF THE YEAR FOR MESA

2008.....Tyler French, Dobson, TE	1992 .....Brandon Thomas, Westwood, WR
2007.....Jarison Johnson, Red Mountain, RB	1991 .....Mike Cook, Mountain View, WR/DB/K
2006.....Ridge Nielsen, Mountain View, FB/DE	1990 .....Grady Benton, Mesa, QB
2006.....Riley Nielsen, Mountain View, QB/DB	1989 .....Mark Jorgenson, Westwood, DB
2005 .....Brice Wilkins, Westwood, QB	1988 .....Lance Smith, Mountain View, RB
2004 .....Greg Bird, Red Mountain, TE/LB	1987 .....Josh Arnold, Dobson, RB/DB
2003 .....Max Hall, Mountain View, QB	1986 .....Quin Rodriguez, Dobson, PK
2002 .....Jarrett Stradling, Mesa, FB/LB	1985 .....Bob Davis, Mountain View, LB
2001 .....Mike Green, Red Mountain, LB	1984 .....Pat Schabel, Westwood, WR
2000 .....Steve Walker, Red Mountain, RB/LB	1983 .....Paul Kasprzyk, Mountain View, RB
1999 .....John Beck, Mountain View, QB	1982 .....Keith Moody, Mountain View, T
1998 .....Bristol Olomua, Red Mountain, RB/LB	1981 .....Brian Denton, Mesa, T
1997 .....Todd Heap, Mountain View, TE	1980 .....Kevin Van Norman, Mountain View, DB
1996 .....Cody Price, Westwood, LB	1979 .....Todd Shell, Mountain View, LB
1995 .....Tom Pace, Mesa, QB	1978 .....Keith Miller, Mountain View, WR
1994 .....Matt Griffith, Mesa, NG	1977 .....Ron Sowers, Mountain View, T
1993 .....Mikel Moreno, Mesa, QB	

**Athletes from Dobson, Mesa, Mountain View, Red Mountain, Skyline and Westwood are eligible for this award.**

**2006 Mesa Co-Players of the Year**  
Riley (left) and Ridge Nielsen are pictured with Mountain View Head Coach Tom Joseph.



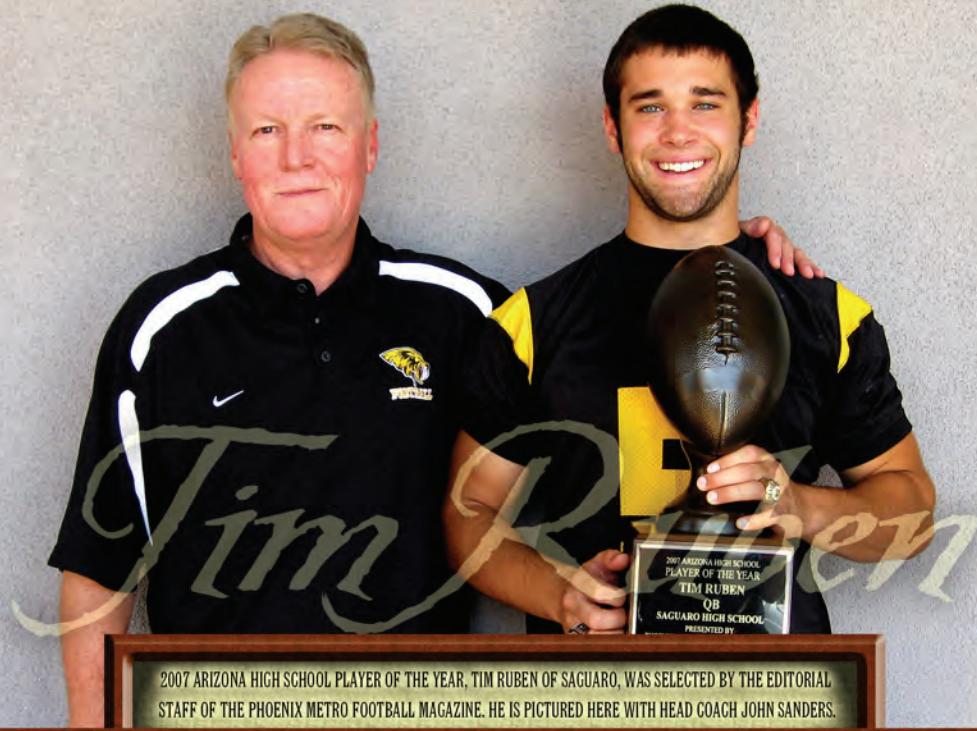
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# 2008 Individual Awards

Arizona Coach of the Year .....	Steve Belles, Hamilton
State Player of the Year.....	Adam Hall (RB/DB), Palo Verde
Phoenix Metro Player of the Year .....	Corey Adams (DL), Saguaro
Southern Arizona Player of the Year.....	Adam Hall (RB/DB), Palo Verde
Northern Arizona Player of the Year.....	Shad Bride (RB), St. Johns
Arizona Quarterback of the Year.....	Matt Inman, Yuma Catholic
State Running Back of the Year .....	Jamal Miles, Peoria
Arizona Receiver of the Year.....	Drew Terrell, Hamilton
State Lineman of the Year.....	Corey Adams, Saguaro
Arizona Linebacker of the Year.....	Matt Padilla, Brophy Prep
State Defensive Back of the Year .....	Paul Porras, Saguaro
Arizona Kicker of the Year .....	Danny Compton, Paradise Valley
State Underclassman of the Year .....	Nick Rowland (OL), Centennial
Cochise County Player of the Year .....	Kyle Graf (RB), Benson
Pinal County Player of the Year .....	Shane McCullen (RB), Apache Junction
Yavapai County Player of the Year .....	Tony Vocca (QB), Mingus
Yuma County Player of the Year .....	Matt Inman (QB), Yuma Catholic
City Player of the Year for Avondale.....	Marquis Flowers (DB), Millennium
City Player of the Year for Buckeye .....	Tyler McArthur (TE), Buckeye
City Player of the Year for Chandler.....	Bryce Lamb (DB), Chandler
City Player of the Year for Deer Valley .....	Kevin Yost (QB), Mountain Ridge
City Player of the Year for Gilbert .....	Chris Hedore (WR/KR), Desert Ridge
City Player of the Year for Glendale .....	Kharyee Marshall (DL), Washington
City Player of the Year for Higley.....	R.J. Arriaga (DL), Higley
City Player of the Year for Mesa .....	Tyler French (TE), Dobson
City Player of the Year for Paradise Valley .....	Ebo Makinde (DB/KR), Paradise Valley
City Player of the Year for Peoria .....	John Hughes (RB), Centennial
City Player of the Year for Scottsdale .....	Craig Roh (DE), Chaparral
City Player of the Year for Surprise .....	Alex Pimental (WR), Dysart
City Player of the Year for Tempe .....	Anthony Rose (LB), Marcos de Niza
City Player of the Year for Tolleson.....	Jeremiah Cornist (RB/KR), La Joya

# ARIZONA'S HIGH SCHOOL

## *Player of the Year*



2007 ARIZONA HIGH SCHOOL PLAYER OF THE YEAR, TIM RUBEN OF SAGUARO, WAS SELECTED BY THE EDITORIAL STAFF OF THE PHOENIX METRO FOOTBALL MAGAZINE. HE IS PICTURED HERE WITH HEAD COACH JOHN SANDERS.

2008 ....ADAM HALL .....PALO VERDE (RB/DB)	1996 ....JUSTIN TAPLIN .....TEMPE (WR/KR)	1984 ....STEVE BELLES .....ST. MARY'S (QB)	TIE .....JIMMY MOORE .....MAROS DE NIZA (TE/DE)
2007 ....TIM RUBEN .....SCOTTSDALE SAGUARO (QB)	1995 ....MIKE BROWN .....SCOTTSDALE SAGUARO (RB/DB)	1983 ....ANTHONY PARKER .....MCCLINTOCK (RB)	1973 ....ROB WILSON .....CORONADO (QB/DB)
2006 ....EVERTON GRIFFEN .....AGUA FRIA (RB/DL)	1994 ....TAVON COOPER .....PEORIA (RB/RS)	1982 ....RODNEY PEETE (JR) .....TUCSON SAHUARO (QB)	1972 ....JESSE PARKER .....RINCON (RB)
2005 ....KYLE WILLIAMS .....CHAPARRAL (RB/KR)	1993 ....KEVIN SCHMIDTKE .....MARANA MTN. VIEW (RB)	1981 ....STAN GILL .....FLAGSTAFF (RB)	1971 ....FRED MORTENSEN .....TEMPE (QB)
2004 ....MATT CLAPP .....PARADISE VALLEY (RB/LB)	1992 ....MIKE MITCHELL .....BROPHY PREP (RB)	1980 ....FRED SIMS .....SUNNYSIDE (RB)	1970 ....BILL CROWE .....MCCLINTOCK (LB)
2003 ....ZACH MILLER .....DESERT VISTA (TE/LB)	1991 ....CHRIS HOPKINS .....SALPOINTE (RB)	1979 ....MOSSY CADE .....SANTA CRUZ (DB)	1969 ....BENNY MALONE .....SANTA CRUZ (RB)
2002 ....MARCUS THOMAS .....TOLLESON (RB)	1990 ....MARIO BATES .....AMPHITHEATER (RB)	1978 ....MIKE CADE .....SANTA CRUZ (RB)	1968 ....JOE PETROSHUS .....TUCSON (HB)
2001 ....MIKE NIXON .....SUNNYSLOPE (QB/DB)	1989 ....BRIAN DREW .....MCCLINTOCK (RB)	1977 ....ALVIN MOORE .....COOLIDGE (TB)	1967 ....TIM SMITH .....ST. MARY'S (RB)
2000 ....MIKE BELL .....TOLLESON (RB)	1988 ....ERIC DRAGE .....SANTA RITA (WR)	TIE .....RIKI GRAY .....AMPHITHEATER (LB)	1966 ....BOB SOZA .....WESTWOOD (TB)
1999 ....TERRELL SUGGS .....HAMILTON (RB)	1987 ....KEVIN GALBREATH .....MARYVALE (RB)	1976 ....GREG BRADY .....CORONADO (QB)	TIE .....BILL DAWSON .....TUCSON (OT/DT)
1998 ....BOBBY WADE .....DESERT VISTA (RB/DB)	1986 ....BOBBY VALDEZ .....SUNNYSIDE (QB)	1975 ....BRIAN FELIX .....PHOENIX UNION (RB)	1965 ....ART MALONE .....SANTA CRUZ (TB)
1997 ....NATHAN WIZE .....SABINO (RB)	1985 ....CLEVELAND COLTER .....MCCLINTOCK (RB)	1974 ....DAVID MITCHELL (JR) .....ST. MARY'S (RB)	1964 ....LEROY PEOPLES .....MARANA (HB)

# Prep Football Schedules

**AQUA FRIA OWLS**

Aug. 28	Desert Edge
Sept. 11	at Apache Junction
Sept. 18	at Apollo
Sept. 25	Greenway
Oct. 2	at Sunrise Mountain
Oct. 9	Peoria
Oct. 16	at Raymond S. Kellis
Oct. 23	Dysart
Oct. 30	Copper Canyon
Nov. 6	at Bradshaw Mountain

**ALHAMBRA LIONS**

Sept. 4	Valley Vista
Sept. 11	at Central
Sept. 17	Camelback
Sept. 25	at North
Oct. 2	at Betty Fairfax
Oct. 9	Maryvale
Oct. 16	South Mountain
Oct. 23	at Trevor Browne
Oct. 30	at Casa Grande
Nov. 6	Carl Hayden

**APACHE JUNCTION PROSPECTORS**

Aug. 28	Bradshaw Mountain
Sept. 4	at Tempe
Sept. 11	Aqua Fria
Sept. 18	Higley
Sept. 25	at Mingus
Oct. 2	at Greenway
Oct. 9	Cactus Shadows
Oct. 16	at McClintock
Oct. 23	at Queen Creek
Oct. 30	Scottsdale Saguaro

**APOLLO HAWKS**

Sept. 4	at Washington
Sept. 11	Sunrise Mountain
Sept. 18	Aqua Fria
Sept. 25	at Thunderbird
Oct. 2	at Sunnyslope
Oct. 9	Shadow Mountain
Oct. 16	at Prescott
Oct. 23	Moon Valley
Oct. 30	at Independence
Nov. 6	Glendale

**ARCADIA TITANS**

Sept. 4	Coconino
Sept. 10	at Paradise Valley
Sept. 18	at Buckeye
Sept. 25	Coronado
Oct. 2	at Higley
Oct. 9	at Maricopa
Oct. 16	Notre Dame
Oct. 23	Seton Catholic
Oct. 30	at Tempe
Nov. 6	Williams Field

**ARIZONA LUTHERAN COYOTES**

Aug. 28	South Pointe
Sept. 4	Tempe Prep
Sept. 11	Scottsdale Christian
Sept. 18	at Camp Verde
Sept. 25	Tonopah Valley
Oct. 2	at Yuma Catholic
Oct. 9	Bougade Catholic
Oct. 16	at Antelope
Oct. 30	Phoenix Christian

**BARRY GOLDWATER BULLDOGS**

Sept. 4	North
Sept. 11	at Horizon
Sept. 17	Ironwood
Sept. 25	at Kingman
Oct. 2	Boulder Creek
Oct. 9	Willow Canyon
Oct. 16	at Valley Vista
Oct. 23	at Sandra Day O'Connor
Oct. 30	Deer Valley
Nov. 6	Mountain Ridge

**BASHA BEARS**

Sept. 4	Casa Grande
Sept. 11	at Mountain Pointe
Sept. 17	Cesar Chavez
Sept. 25	Gilbert
Oct. 2	at Cibola
Oct. 9	at Highland
Oct. 16	Dobson
Oct. 23	Corona del Sol
Oct. 30	at Mesquite
Nov. 6	at Mesa Mountain View

**BETTY FAIRFAX STAMPEDE**

Aug. 28	at Millennium
Sept. 4	North Canyon
Sept. 11	at North
Sept. 17	South Mountain
Sept. 25	at Maryvale
Oct. 2	Alhambra
Oct. 9	Trevor Browne
Oct. 23	at Carl Hayden
Oct. 30	Central
Nov. 6	at Camelback

**BOULDER CREEK JAGUARS**

Sept. 4	at Chaparral
Sept. 11	Kingman
Sept. 17	at Desert Mountain
Sept. 25	Mountain Ridge
Oct. 2	at Goldwater
Oct. 9	Sandra Day O'Connor
Oct. 16	at Deer Valley
Oct. 23	at Valley Vista
Oct. 30	Willow Canyon
Nov. 6	Tolleson

**BOURGADE CATHOLIC GOLDEN EAGLES**

Aug. 28	Northwest Christian
Sept. 4	at Scottsdale Christian
Sept. 11	at North Pointe
Sept. 18	at Phoenix Christian
Sept. 25	Yuma Catholic
Oct. 2	Antelope
Oct. 9	at Arizona Lutheran
Oct. 16	Westwind Prep
Oct. 23	Tempe Prep
Oct. 30	at Tonopah Valley

**BRADSHAW MOUNTAIN BEARS**

Aug. 28	at Apache Junction
Sept. 4	Paradise Valley
Sept. 11	at Prescott
Sept. 18	Mingus
Sept. 25	Sunrise Mountain
Oct. 2	at Raymond Kellis
Oct. 9	Copper Canyon
Oct. 23	at Peoria
Oct. 30	at Dysart
Nov. 6	Aqua Fria

**BROPHY PREP BRONCOS**

Aug. 28	at Deer Valley
Sept. 4	at Gilbert
Sept. 11	St. Mary's
Sept. 17	at Centennial
Sept. 25	Chandler
Oct. 2	at Red Mountain
Oct. 16	Mesa
Oct. 23	Hamilton
Oct. 30	at Desert Vista
Nov. 6	Yuma

**BUCKEYE HAWKS**

Aug. 28	Peoria
Sept. 4	at Maricopa
Sept. 11	at Thunderbird
Sept. 18	Arcadia
Sept. 25	at Coconino
Oct. 2	at Washington
Oct. 9	at Desert Edge
Oct. 23	Verrado
Oct. 30	Liberty
Nov. 6	Youngker

**CACTUS COBRAS**

Sept. 4	Coronado
Sept. 11	at Peoria
Sept. 17	Dysart
Sept. 25	at Saguaro
Oct. 2	Queen Creek
Oct. 9	Washington
Oct. 16	at Thunderbird
Oct. 23	at Paradise Valley
Oct. 30	Greenway
Nov. 6	at Cortez



#### CACTUS SHADOWS FALCONS

Sept. 4	.....	at Cienega
Sept. 11	.....	at Greenway
Sept. 18	.....	at Shadow Mountain
Sept. 25	.....	Paradise Valley
Oct. 2	.....	Sinagua
Oct. 9	.....	at Apache Junction
Oct. 16	.....	at Scottsdale Saguaro
Oct. 23	.....	Sunnyslope
Oct. 30	.....	Queen Creek
Nov. 6	.....	McClintock

#### CAMELBACK SPARTANS

Sept. 4	.....	at Buena
Sept. 11	.....	Maryvale
Sept. 17	.....	at Alhambra
Sept. 25	.....	Trevor Browne
Oct. 2	.....	La Joya
Oct. 9	.....	at Carl Hayden
Oct. 16	.....	Central
Oct. 23	.....	at South Mountain
Oct. 30	.....	at North
Nov. 6	.....	Betty Fairfax

#### CAMP VERDE COWBOYS

Aug. 28	.....	Chino Valley
Sept. 4	.....	at Canyon State
Sept. 11	.....	at Sedona Red Rock
Sept. 18	.....	Arizona Lutheran
Sept. 25	.....	at Northwest Christian
Oct. 2	.....	North Pointe
Oct. 9	.....	at Scottsdale Christian

#### CAMP VERDE COWBOYS (cont)

Oct. 15	.....	at Greyhills
Oct. 23	.....	at Valley Christian
Oct. 30	.....	Tempe Prep

#### CANYON STATE ACADEMY RAMS

Aug. 28	.....	at Ganado
Sept. 4	.....	Camp Verde
Sept. 11	.....	at Benson
Sept. 18	.....	at Hayden
Sept. 25	.....	Ray
Oct. 2	.....	Baboquivari
Oct. 9	.....	at Pusch Ridge
Oct. 16	.....	at San Carlos
Oct. 23	.....	Miami
Oct. 30	.....	at San Manuel

#### CARL HAYDEN FALCONS

Sept. 4	.....	at Rincon
Sept. 11	.....	Trevor Browne
Sept. 17	.....	San Luis
Sept. 25	.....	at South Mountain
Oct. 2	.....	Central
Oct. 9	.....	Camelback
Oct. 16	.....	at North
Oct. 23	.....	Betty Fairfax
Oct. 30	.....	at Maryvale
Nov. 6	.....	at Alhambra

#### CASA GRANDE COUGARS

Aug. 28	.....	Perry
Sept. 4	.....	at Basha

#### CASA GRANDE COUGARS (cont)

Sept. 11	.....	Chandler
Sept. 17	.....	at Salpointe Catholic
Sept. 25	.....	Mountain Pointe
Oct. 2	.....	at Desert Ridge
Oct. 9	.....	at Westwood
Oct. 23	.....	at Marcos de Niza
Oct. 30	.....	Alhambra
Nov. 6	.....	Skyline

#### CENTENNIAL COYOTES

Sept. 4	.....	at Chandler
Sept. 11	.....	Willow Canyon
Sept. 17	.....	Brophy
Sept. 25	.....	Millennium
Oct. 2	.....	at Tolleson
Oct. 9	.....	at Ironwood
Oct. 16	.....	La Joya
Oct. 23	.....	at Red Mountain
Oct. 30	.....	at Westview
Nov. 6	.....	Cesar Chavez

#### CENTRAL BOBCATS

Aug. 28	.....	Maryvale
Sept. 4	.....	at Desert Ridge
Sept. 11	.....	Alhambra
Sept. 17	.....	at Trevor Browne
Sept. 25	.....	Horizon
Oct. 2	.....	at Carl Hayden
Oct. 9	.....	South Mountain
Oct. 16	.....	at Camelback

**CENTRAL BOBCATS (cont)**

Oct. 23	.....North
Oct. 30	.....at Betty Fairfax

**CESAR CHAVEZ CHAMPIONS**

Aug. 28	.....at Mesa
Sept. 4	.....Trevor Browne
Sept. 11	.....Ironwood Ridge
Sept. 17	.....at Basha
Sept. 25	.....Tolleson
Oct. 2	.....at Millennium
Oct. 9	.....at La Joya
Oct. 16	.....Ironwood
Oct. 23	.....Westview
Nov. 6	.....at Centennial

**CHANDLER WOLVES**

Aug. 28	.....Skyline
Sept. 4	.....Centennial
Sept. 11	.....at Casa Grande
Sept. 17	.....Mesa
Sept. 25	.....at Brophy
Oct. 2	.....at Hamilton
Oct. 16	.....Red Mountain
Oct. 23	.....Desert Vista
Oct. 30	.....at Mesa Mountain View
Nov. 6	.....at Trevor Browne

**CHAPARRAL FIREBIRDS**

Sept. 4	.....Boulder Creek
Sept. 11	.....Mesa Mountain View
Sept. 17	.....at Mesquite
Sept. 25	.....at Kofa
Oct. 2	.....Perry
Oct. 8	.....Horizon
Oct. 16	.....at Pinnacle
Oct. 23	.....St. Mary's
Oct. 30	.....at North Canyon
Nov. 6	.....at Desert Mountain

**COOLIDGE BEARS**

Aug. 28	.....Estrella Foothills
Sept. 4	.....at Florence
Sept. 11	.....at Globe
Sept. 18	.....San Tan Foothills
Sept. 25	.....at Alchesay
Oct. 2	.....Safford
Oct. 9	.....Empire
Oct. 16	.....at Fountain Hills
Oct. 23	.....South Pointe
Oct. 30	.....at Santa Cruz

**COPPER CANYON AZTECS**

Sept. 4	.....at Scottsdale Saguaro
Sept. 11	.....Moon Valley
Sept. 18	.....at Desert Edge
Sept. 25	.....at Peoria
Oct. 2	.....Dysart
Oct. 9	.....at Bradshaw Mountain
Oct. 16	.....Sunrise Mountain
Oct. 23	.....Raymond Kellis
Oct. 30	.....at Agua Fria
Nov. 6	.....Independence

**CORONA DEL SOL AZTECS**

Sept. 4	.....Red Mountain
Sept. 11	.....Desert Ridge
Sept. 17	.....at North Canyon

**CORONA DEL SOL AZTECS (cont)**

Sept. 25	.....Mesquite
Oct. 2	.....at Mesa Mountain View
Oct. 9	.....Gilbert
Oct. 16	.....at Desert Vista
Oct. 23	.....at Basha
Oct. 29	.....Dobson
Nov. 6	.....at Highland

**CORONADO DONS**

Sept. 4	.....at Cactus
Sept. 11	.....Washington
Sept. 18	.....at Seton Catholic
Sept. 25	.....at Arcadia
Oct. 2	.....Maricopa
Oct. 9	.....Higley
Oct. 16	.....at Glendale
Oct. 23	.....Tempe
Oct. 30	.....at Williams Field
Nov. 6	.....Notre Dame

**CORTEZ COLTS**

Sept. 4	.....at Raymond Kellis
Sept. 11	.....Glendale
Sept. 18	.....at Youngker
Sept. 25	.....at Verrado
Oct. 2	.....Desert Edge
Oct. 9	.....Thunderbird
Oct. 16	.....Greenway
Oct. 23	.....at Washington
Oct. 30	.....at Paradise Valley
Nov. 6	.....Cactus

**DEER VALLEY SKYHAWKS**

Aug. 28	.....Brophy
Sept. 4	.....Ironwood
Sept. 11	.....at South Mountain
Sept. 17	.....at Marcos de Niza
Sept. 25	.....Sandra Day O'Connor
Oct. 2	.....at Valley Vista
Oct. 9	.....at Mountain Ridge
Oct. 16	.....Boulder Creek
Oct. 23	.....Kingman
Oct. 30	.....at Goldwater
Nov. 6	.....Willow Canyon

**DESERT EDGE SCORPIANS**

Aug. 28	.....at Agua Fria
Sept. 4	.....at Catalina
Sept. 11	.....at Notre Dame
Sept. 18	.....Copper Canyon
Sept. 25	.....Williams Field
Oct. 2	.....at Cortez
Oct. 9	.....Buckeye
Oct. 16	.....Verrado
Oct. 23	.....at Youngker
Oct. 30	.....Peoria Accelerated
Nov. 6	.....at Liberty

**DESERT MOUNTAIN WOLVES**

Sept. 4	.....Mesquite
Sept. 11	.....at Sandra Day O'Connor
Sept. 17	.....Boulder Creek
Sept. 25	.....at Highland
Oct. 2	.....at San Luis
Oct. 9	.....St. Mary's
Oct. 15	.....North Canyon
Oct. 23	.....at Pinnacle

**DESERT MOUNTAIN WOLVES (cont)**

Oct. 30	.....at Horizon
Nov. 6	.....Chaparral

**DESERT RIDGE JAGUARS**

Aug. 28	.....Mesquite
Sept. 4	.....Central
Sept. 11	.....at Corona del Sol
Sept. 17	.....at Highland
Sept. 24	.....Marcos de Niza
Oct. 2	.....Casa Grande
Oct. 9	.....at Skyline
Oct. 16	.....Mountain Pointe
Oct. 30	.....at Westwood
Nov. 6	.....at Perry

**DESERT VISTA THUNDER**

Aug. 28	.....at Tucson
Sept. 11	.....Pinnacle
Sept. 17	.....Mountain Pointe
Sept. 25	.....Hamilton
Oct. 2	.....at St. Mary's
Oct. 9	.....at Mesa
Oct. 16	.....Corona del Sol
Oct. 23	.....at Chandler
Oct. 30	.....Brophy
Nov. 6	.....at Red Mountain

**DOBSON MUSTANGS**

Aug. 28	.....Mountain Pointe
Sept. 4	.....at Mesa
Sept. 11	.....at Millennium
Sept. 17	.....Kofa
Sept. 25	.....Mesa Mountain View
Oct. 2	.....at Gilbert
Oct. 16	.....at Basha
Oct. 23	.....Highland
Oct. 29	.....at Corona del Sol
Nov. 6	.....Mesquite

**DYSART DEMONS**

Aug. 28	.....Flagstaff
Sept. 4	.....at Williams Field
Sept. 11	.....Verrado
Sept. 17	.....at Cactus
Sept. 25	.....Raymond Kellis
Oct. 2	.....at Copper Canyon
Oct. 16	.....Peoria
Oct. 23	.....at Agua Fria
Oct. 30	.....Bradshaw Mountain
Nov. 6	.....at Sunrise Mountain

**ESTRELLA FOOTHILLS WOLVES**

Aug. 28	.....at Coolidge
Sept. 4	.....Fountain Hills
Sept. 11	.....at Chino Valley
Sept. 18	.....Sedona Red Rock
Sept. 25	.....South Pointe
Oct. 2	.....at Parker
Oct. 9	.....at Florence
Oct. 16	.....River Valley
Oct. 23	.....Scottsdale Christian
Oct. 30	.....at Wickenburg

**FLORENCE GOPHERS**

Aug. 29	.....at Sinagua
Sept. 4	.....Coolidge
Sept. 11	.....at South Pointe

**FLORENCE GOPHERS (cont)**

Sept. 18	Fountain Hills
Sept. 25	at Safford
Oct. 2	at Santa Cruz
Oct. 9	Estrella Foothills
Oct. 16	Globe
Oct. 23	at Empire
Oct. 30	San Tan Foothills

**FOUNTAIN HILLS FALCONS**

Aug. 28	Wickenburg
Sept. 4	at Estrella Foothills
Sept. 11	Santa Cruz
Sept. 18	at Florence
Sept. 25	at Globe
Oct. 2	Show Low
Oct. 9	at Payson
Oct. 16	Coolidge
Oct. 23	at San Tan Foothills
Oct. 30	Empire

**GILA BEND GILA MONSTERS**

Aug. 28	South Ridge
Sept. 4	at St. David
Sept. 11	San Pasqual
Sept. 18	at Valley Union
Sept. 25	Tanque Verde
Oct. 2	at ASDB
Oct. 9	Ajo
Oct. 16	at Patagonia

**GILBERT TIGERS**

Sept. 4	Brophy
Sept. 11	at Mountain Ridge
Sept. 17	at Skyline
Sept. 25	at Basha
Oct. 2	Dobson
Oct. 9	at Corona del Sol
Oct. 16	Mesquite
Oct. 23	Mesa Mountain View
Oct. 30	at Highland
Nov. 6	Westwood

**GLENDALE CARDINALS**

Aug. 28	Raymond Kellis
Sept. 4	Youngker
Sept. 11	at Cortez
Sept. 18	at Liberty
Sept. 25	at Sunnyslope
Oct. 2	Prescott
Oct. 10	at Independence
Oct. 16	Coronado
Oct. 23	Shadow Mountain
Oct. 30	at Moon Valley
Nov. 6	at Apollo

**GLOBE TIGERS**

Sept. 4	Miami
Sept. 11	Coolidge
Sept. 18	at Snowflake
Sept. 25	Fountain Hills
Oct. 2	at Blue Ridge
Oct. 9	San Tan Foothills
Oct. 16	Santa Cruz
Oct. 30	at Safford

**GREENWAY DEMONS**

Sept. 4	Sunnyslope
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**GREENWAY DEMONS (cont)**

Sept. 11	Cactus Shadows
Sept. 18	at Moon Valley
Sept. 25	at Agua Fria
Oct. 2	Apache Junction
Oct. 9	at Paradise Valley
Oct. 16	at Cortez
Oct. 23	Thunderbird
Oct. 30	at Cactus
Nov. 6	at Washington

**HAMILTON HUSKIES**

Aug. 27	St. Mary's
Sept. 4	at Westview
Sept. 11	Ironwood
Sept. 17	at Mountain Ridge
Sept. 25	at Desert Vista
Oct. 2	Chandler
Oct. 9	Salpointe Catholic
Oct. 23	at Brophy
Oct. 30	Red Mountain
Nov. 6	at Mesa

**HAYDEN LOBOS**

Sept. 4	Morenci
Sept. 18	Canyon State
Sept. 25	at San Carlos
Oct. 2	Miami
Oct. 9	at San Manuel
Oct. 16	at Pusch Ridge
Oct. 23	Ray
Oct. 30	Baboquivari

**HIGHLAND HAWKS**

Sept. 4	at Mountain Pointe
Sept. 11	at Westview
Sept. 17	Desert Ridge
Sept. 25	Desert Mountain
Oct. 2	at Mesquite
Oct. 9	Basha
Oct. 16	at Mesa Mountain View
Oct. 23	at Dobson
Oct. 30	Gilbert
Nov. 6	Corona del Sol

**HIGLEY KNIGHTS**

Sept. 3	at Queen Creek
Sept. 11	Liberty
Sept. 18	at Apache Junction
Sept. 25	Maricopa
Oct. 2	Arcadia
Oct. 9	at Coronado
Oct. 16	Tempe
Oct. 23	Williams Field
Oct. 30	at Notre Dame
Nov. 6	Seton Catholic

**HORIZON HUSKIES**

Sept. 4	Yuma
Sept. 11	Goldwater
Sept. 17	at Sandra Day O'Connor
Sept. 25	at Central
Oct. 2	Mesa
Oct. 8	at Chaparral
Oct. 15	St. Mary's
Oct. 23	North Canyon
Oct. 30	Desert Mountain
Nov. 6	at Pinnacle

**INDEPENDENCE PATRIOTS**

Sept. 4	at Liberty
Sept. 11	Seton Catholic
Sept. 18	at Raymond Kellis
Sept. 25	Shadow Mountain
Oct. 2	at Moon Valley
Oct. 10	Glendale
Oct. 16	at Sunnyslope
Oct. 23	Prescott
Oct. 30	Apollo
Nov. 6	at Copper Canyon

**IRONWOOD EAGLES**

Sept. 4	at Deer Valley
Sept. 11	at Hamilton
Sept. 17	Goldwater
Sept. 25	St. Mary's
Oct. 2	at Westview
Oct. 9	Centennial
Oct. 16	at Cesar Chavez
Oct. 23	Millennium
Oct. 30	at Tolleson
Nov. 6	La Joya

**JOY CHRISTIAN EAGLES**

Aug. 28	Ash Fork
Sept. 4	at PDSD
Sept. 19	at Valley Lutheran
Sept. 25	Bagdad
Oct. 2	Salome
Oct. 9	at Orme
Oct. 16	St. Paul's

**LA JOYA FIGHTING LOBOS**

Sept. 4	at Marcos de Niza
Sept. 11	Lake Havasu
Sept. 17	Valley Vista
Sept. 25	Westview
Oct. 2	at Camelback
Oct. 9	Cesar Chavez
Oct. 16	at Centennial
Oct. 23	at Tolleson
Oct. 30	Millennium
Nov. 6	at Ironwood

**LAKE HAVASU KNIGHTS**

Aug. 28	Yuma
Sept. 4	at Kingman
Sept. 11	at La Joya
Sept. 25	at Mohave
Oct. 2	Yuma
Oct. 9	San Luis
Oct. 16	at Kofa
Oct. 23	Cibola
Oct. 30	Gila Ridge
Nov. 6	Kingman

**LIBERTY LIONS**

Aug. 28	at Sunrise Mountain
Sept. 4	Independence
Sept. 11	at Higley
Sept. 18	Glendale
Sept. 26	at Sinagua
Oct. 2	Thunderbird
Oct. 9	at Verrado
Oct. 16	Youngker
Oct. 30	at Buckeye
Nov. 6	Desert Edge

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**MARCOS DE NIZA PADRES**

Aug. 28	.....at Marana Mountain View
Sept. 4	.....La Joya
Sept. 11	.....at Valley Vista
Sept. 17	.....Deer Valley
Sept. 24	.....at Desert Ridge
Oct. 2	.....at Westwood
Oct. 9	.....Perry
Oct. 23	.....Casa Grande
Oct. 30	.....at Skyline
Nov. 6	.....Mountain Pointe

**MARICOPA RAMS**

Sept. 4	.....Buckeye
Sept. 11	.....at Youngker
Sept. 18	.....Page
Sept. 25	.....at Higley
Oct. 2	.....at Coronado
Oct. 9	.....Arcadia
Oct. 16	.....Williams Field
Oct. 23	.....at Notre Dame
Oct. 30	.....at Seton Catholic
Nov. 6	.....Tempe

**MARYVALE PANTHERS**

Aug. 28	.....at Central
Sept. 4	.....at Tolleson
Sept. 11	.....at Camelback
Sept. 17	.....North
Sept. 25	.....Betty Fairfax
Oct. 2	.....at South Mountain
Oct. 9	.....at Alhambra
Oct. 16	.....Trevor Browne
Oct. 23	.....Mesa
Oct. 30	.....Carl Hayden

**MAYER WILDCATS**

Aug. 28	.....at Orme
Sept. 4	.....Rock Point
Sept. 11	.....Fredonia
Sept. 18	.....at Mogollon
Sept. 25	.....at Joseph City
Oct. 2	.....Beaver Dam
Oct. 9	.....Salome
Oct. 16	.....at Ash Fork

**McCLINTOCK CHARGERS**

Sept. 4	.....at Sunrise Mountain
Sept. 11	.....Palo Verde
Sept. 18	.....Thunderbird
Sept. 25	.....at Tempe
Oct. 2	.....at Peoria
Oct. 9	.....at Queen Creek
Oct. 16	.....Apache Junction
Oct. 23	.....Scottsdale Saguaro
Oct. 30	.....Prescott
Nov. 6	.....at Cactus Shadows

**MESA JACKRABBITS**

Aug. 28	.....Cesar Chavez
Sept. 4	.....Dobson
Sept. 11	.....Westwood
Sept. 17	.....at Chandler
Sept. 25	.....at Red Mountain
Oct. 2	.....at Horizon
Oct. 9	.....Desert Vista
Oct. 16	.....at Brophy

**MESA JACKRABBITS (cont)**

Oct. 23	.....at Maryvale
Nov. 6	.....Hamilton

**MESQUITE WILDCATS**

Aug. 28	.....at Desert Ridge
Sept. 4	.....at Desert Mountain
Sept. 11	.....at Tolleson
Sept. 17	.....Chaparral
Sept. 25	.....at Corona del Sol
Oct. 2	.....Highland
Oct. 9	.....Mesa Mountain View
Oct. 16	.....at Gilbert
Oct. 30	.....Basha
Nov. 6	.....at Dobson

**MIAMI VANDALS**

Aug. 28	.....Benson
Sept. 4	.....at Globe
Sept. 11	.....al Valley Christian
Sept. 18	.....at Pusch Ridge
Sept. 25	.....San Manuel
Oct. 2	.....at Hayden
Oct. 9	.....Ray
Oct. 16	.....Baboquivari
Oct. 23	.....at Canyon State
Nov. 6	.....San Carlos

**MILLENNIUM TIGERS**

Aug. 28	.....Betty Fairfax
Sept. 4	.....at Pinnacle
Sept. 11	.....Dobson
Sept. 17	.....at St. Mary's
Sept. 25	.....at Centennial
Oct. 2	.....Cesar Chavez
Oct. 9	.....Tolleson
Oct. 23	.....at Ironwood
Oct. 30	.....at La Joya
Nov. 5	.....Westview

**MINGUS MARAUDERS**

Sept. 4	.....Prescott
Sept. 11	.....at Payson
Sept. 18	.....at Bradshaw Mountain
Sept. 25	.....Apache Junction
Oct. 2	.....at Paradise Valley
Oct. 9	.....at Page
Oct. 16	.....Flagstaff
Oct. 23	.....Sinagua
Oct. 30	.....at Coconino
Nov. 6	.....Mohave

**MOHAVE THUNDERBIRDS**

Aug. 28	.....at River Valley
Sept. 11	.....Wickenburg
Sept. 18	.....at Kingman
Sept. 25	.....Lake Havasu
Oct. 2	.....Page
Oct. 9	.....at Coconino
Oct. 23	.....at Flagstaff
Oct. 30	.....Sinagua
Nov. 6	.....at Mingus

**MOON VALLEY ROCKETS**

Sept. 4	.....Sabino
Sept. 11	.....at Copper Canyon
Sept. 18	.....Greenway
Sept. 25	.....at Prescott

**MOON VALLEY ROCKETS (cont)**

Oct. 2	.....Independence
Oct. 9	.....Scottsdale Saguaro
Oct. 16	.....at Shadow Mountain
Oct. 23	.....at Apollo
Oct. 30	.....Glendale
Nov. 6	.....at Sunnyslope

**MOUNTAIN POINTE PRIDE**

Aug. 28	.....at Dobson
Sept. 4	.....Highland
Sept. 11	.....Basha
Sept. 17	.....at Desert Vista
Sept. 25	.....at Casa Grande
Oct. 2	.....Skyline
Oct. 16	.....at Desert Ridge
Oct. 23	.....Westwood
Oct. 30	.....Perry
Nov. 6	.....at Marcos de Niza

**MOUNTAIN RIDGE MT. LIONS**

Sept. 4	.....at Mesa Mountain View
Sept. 11	.....Gilbert
Sept. 17	.....Hamilton
Sept. 25	.....at Boulder Creek
Oct. 2	.....Kingman
Oct. 9	.....Deer Valley
Oct. 16	.....at Sandra Day O'Connor
Oct. 23	.....at Willow Canyon
Oct. 30	.....Valley Vista
Nov. 6	.....at Goldwater

**MESA MOUNTAIN VIEW TOROS**

Sept. 4	.....Mountain Ridge
Sept. 11	.....at Chaparral
Sept. 17	.....at Sunnyside
Sept. 25	.....at Dobson
Oct. 2	.....Corona del Sol
Oct. 9	.....at Mesquite
Oct. 16	.....Highland
Oct. 23	.....at Gilbert
Oct. 30	.....Chandler
Nov. 6	.....Basha

**NORTH MUSTANGS**

Sept. 4	.....at Goldwater
Sept. 11	.....Betty Fairfax
Sept. 17	.....at Maryvale
Sept. 25	.....Alhambra
Oct. 1	.....at Trevor Browne
Oct. 9	.....Westview
Oct. 16	.....Carl Hayden
Oct. 23	.....at Central
Oct. 30	.....Camelback
Nov. 6	.....at South Mountain

**NORTH CANYON RATTLES**

Aug. 28	.....Sunnyside
Sept. 4	.....at Betty Fairfax
Sept. 17	.....Corona del Sol
Sept. 25	.....Cibola
Oct. 2	.....at Kofa
Oct. 9	.....Pinnacle
Oct. 15	.....at Desert Mountain
Oct. 23	.....at Horizon
Oct. 30	.....Chaparral
Nov. 6	.....St. Mary's

**NORTH POINTE PREP FALCONS**

Aug. 28	.....Westwind Prep
Sept. 4	.....at Phoenix Christian
Sept. 11	.....Bourgade Catholic
Sept. 18	.....Estrella Foothills
Sept. 25	.....at Tempe Prep
Oct. 2	.....at Camp Verde
Oct. 9	.....at Tonopah Valley
Oct. 16	.....Scottsdale Christian
Oct. 23	.....Northwest Christian
Oct. 30	.....at Valley Christian

**NORTHWEST CHRISTIAN CRUSADERS**

Aug. 28	.....at Bourgade Catholic
Sept. 4	.....Pusch Ridge
Sept. 11	.....Tonopah Valley
Sept. 18	.....Tempe Prep
Sept. 25	.....Camp Verde
Oct. 9	.....at Valley Christian
Oct. 16	.....Yuma Catholic
Oct. 23	.....at North Pointe
Oct. 30	.....Scottsdale Christian

**NOTRE DAME PREP SAINTS**

Sept. 4	.....at Shadow Mountain
Sept. 11	.....Desert Edge
Sept. 18	.....Paradise Valley
Sept. 25	.....at Seton Catholic
Oct. 2	.....Tempe
Oct. 9	.....at Williams Field
Oct. 16	.....at Arcadia
Oct. 23	.....Maricopa
Oct. 30	.....Higley
Nov. 6	.....at Coronado

**ORME WARRIORS**

Aug. 28	.....Mayer
Sept. 4	.....Salome
Sept. 11	.....at Bagdad
Sept. 18	.....St. Paul's Prep
Sept. 25	.....PDSD
Oct. 3	.....at Valley Lutheran
Oct. 9	.....Joy Christian

**PARADISE VALLEY TROJANS**

Sept. 4	.....at Bradshaw Mountain
Sept. 10	.....Arcadia
Sept. 18	.....at Notre Dame
Sept. 25	.....at Cactus Shadows
Oct. 2	.....Mingus
Oct. 9	.....Greenway
Oct. 16	.....at Washington
Oct. 23	.....Cactus
Oct. 30	.....Cortez
Nov. 6	.....at Thunderbird

**PAYSON LONGHORNS**

Aug. 28	.....at St. Johns
Sept. 4	.....at Chino Valley
Sept. 11	.....Mingus
Sept. 18	.....at Round Valley
Sept. 25	.....Santa Cruz
Oct. 2	.....at Snowflake
Oct. 9	.....Fountain Hills
Oct. 16	.....Blue Ridge
Oct. 23	.....at Alchesay
Oct. 30	.....Show Low

**PEORIA PANTHERS**

Aug. 28	.....at Buckeye
Sept. 11	.....Cactus
Sept. 17	.....at Scottsdale Saguaro
Sept. 25	.....Copper Canyon
Oct. 2	.....McClintock
Oct. 9	.....at Agua Fria
Oct. 16	.....at Dysart
Oct. 23	.....Bradshaw Mountain
Oct. 30	.....Sunrise Mountain
Nov. 6	.....at Raymond Kellis

**PERRY PUMAS**

Aug. 28	.....at Casa Grande
Sept. 4	.....at Kofa
Sept. 11	.....Buena
Sept. 18	.....at Gila Ridge
Sept. 25	.....Westwood
Oct. 2	.....at Chaparral
Oct. 9	.....at Marcos de Niza
Oct. 23	.....Skyline
Oct. 30	.....at Mountain Pointe
Nov. 6	.....Desert Ridge

**PHOENIX CHRISTIAN COUGARS**

Sept. 4	.....North Pointe
Sept. 11	.....at Pusch Ridge
Sept. 18	.....Bourgade Catholic
Sept. 25	.....at Westwind Prep
Oct. 2	.....Valley Christian
Oct. 9	.....Antelope
Oct. 16	.....at Tonopah Valley
Oct. 23	.....Yuma Catholic
Oct. 30	.....at Arizona Lutheran

**PDSD ROADRUNNERS**

Sept. 4	.....Joy Christian
Sept. 11	.....at Valley Lutheran
Sept. 25	.....at Orme
Oct. 2	.....St. Paul's
Oct. 9	.....Bagdad
Oct. 16	.....at Salome
Oct. 24	.....ASDB

**PINNACLE PIONEERS**

Sept. 4	.....Millennium
Sept. 11	.....at Desert Vista
Sept. 17	.....Rincon
Sept. 25	.....at Skyline
Oct. 2	.....at Gila Ridge
Oct. 9	.....at North Canyon
Oct. 16	.....Chaparral
Oct. 23	.....Desert Mountain
Oct. 30	.....at St. Mary's
Nov. 6	.....Horizon

**PRESCOTT BADGERS**

Sept. 4	.....at Mingus
Sept. 11	.....Bradshaw Mountain
Sept. 18	.....at Flagstaff
Sept. 25	.....Moon Valley
Oct. 2	.....at Glendale
Oct. 9	.....Sunnyslope
Oct. 16	.....Apollo
Oct. 23	.....at Independence
Oct. 30	.....at McClintock
Nov. 6	.....Shadow Mountain

**QUEEN CREEK BULLDOGS**

Sept. 3	.....Higley
Sept. 11	.....Shadow Mountain
Sept. 17	.....Canyon del Oro
Sept. 25	.....at Sahuaro
Oct. 2	.....at Cactus
Oct. 9	.....McClintock
Oct. 16	.....at Seton Catholic
Oct. 23	.....Apache Junction
Oct. 30	.....at Cactus Shadows
Nov. 6	.....at Saguaro

**RAYMOND KELLIS COUGARS**

Aug. 28	.....at Glendale
Sept. 4	.....Cortez
Sept. 11	.....Coconino
Sept. 18	.....Independence
Sept. 25	.....at Dysart
Oct. 2	.....Bradshaw Mountain
Oct. 9	.....at Sunrise Mountain
Oct. 16	.....Agua Fria
Oct. 23	.....at Copper Canyon
Nov. 6	.....Peoria

**RED MOUNTAIN LIONS**

Aug. 28	.....at Westwood
Sept. 4	.....at Corona del Sol
Sept. 11	.....Marana Mountain View
Sept. 17	.....at Cibola
Sept. 25	.....Mesa
Oct. 2	.....Brophy
Oct. 16	.....at Chandler
Oct. 23	.....Centennial
Oct. 30	.....at Hamilton
Nov. 6	.....Desert Vista

**SAGUARO SABERCATS**

Sept. 4	.....Copper Canyon
Sept. 11	.....at Sunnyslope
Sept. 17	.....Peoria
Sept. 25	.....Cactus
Oct. 2	.....at Canyon del Oro
Oct. 9	.....at Moon Valley
Oct. 16	.....Cactus Shadows
Oct. 23	.....at McClintock
Oct. 30	.....at Apache Junction
Nov. 6	.....Queen Creek

**ST. MARY'S KNIGHTS**

Aug. 27	.....at Hamilton
Sept. 4	.....Sandra Day O'Connor
Sept. 11	.....at Brophy
Sept. 17	.....Millennium
Sept. 25	.....at Ironwood
Oct. 2	.....Desert Vista
Oct. 9	.....at Desert Mountain
Oct. 15	.....Horizon
Oct. 23	.....at Chaparral
Oct. 30	.....Pinnacle
Nov. 6	.....at North Canyon

**ST. PAUL'S PREP LIONS**

Aug. 28	.....at Salt River
Sept. 4	.....at Bagdad
Sept. 11	.....Salome
Sept. 18	.....at Orme
Sept. 25	.....at Veritas Prep

**ST. PAUL'S PREP LIONS (cont)**

Oct. 2	.....at PDSD
Oct. 16	.....at Joy Christian

**SALT RIVER EAGLES**

Aug. 28	.....St. Paul's
Sept. 4	.....Valley Lutheran
Sept. 11	.....at Clifton
Sept. 18	.....Superior
Sept. 25	.....at Fort Thomas
Oct. 2	.....Duncan
Oct. 9	.....Veritas Prep
Oct. 17	.....at Cibecue

**SAN CARLOS BRAVES**

Aug. 28	.....at Morenci
Sept. 4	.....Pima
Sept. 18	.....San Manuel
Sept. 25	.....Hayden
Oct. 2	.....at Ray
Oct. 9	.....at Baboquivari
Oct. 16	.....Canyon State
Oct. 23	.....Pusch Ridge
Oct. 30	.....at Miami

**SAN TAN FOOTHILLS SABERCATS**

Aug. 28	.....at Santa Cruz
Sept. 4	.....at South Pointe
Sept. 11	.....Peoria Accelerated
Sept. 18	.....at Coolidge
Sept. 25	.....Empire
Oct. 2	.....Wickenburg
Oct. 9	.....at Globe
Oct. 16	.....Safford
Oct. 23	.....Fountain Hills
Oct. 30	.....at Florence

**SANDRA DAY O'CONNOR EAGLES**

Sept. 4	.....at St. Mary's
Sept. 11	.....Desert Mountain
Sept. 17	.....Horizon
Sept. 25	.....at Deer Valley
Oct. 2	.....Willow Canyon
Oct. 9	.....at Boulder Creek
Oct. 16	.....Mountain Ridge
Oct. 23	.....Goldwater
Oct. 30	.....at Kingman
Nov. 6	.....at Valley Vista

**SANTA CRUZ DUST DEVILS**

Aug. 28	.....San Tan Foothills
Sept. 4	.....Wickenburg
Sept. 11	.....at Fountain Hills
Sept. 18	.....Parker
Sept. 25	.....at Payson
Oct. 2	.....Florence
Oct. 9	.....at Safford
Oct. 16	.....at Empire
Oct. 23	.....at Globe
Oct. 30	.....Coolidge

**SCOTTSDALE CHRISTIAN EAGLES**

Sept. 4	.....Bourgade Catholic
Sept. 11	.....at Arizona Lutheran
Sept. 18	.....Valley Christian
Sept. 25	.....Antelope
Oct. 2	.....Tempe Prep
Oct. 9	.....Camp Verde

**SCOTTSDALE CHRISTIAN EAGLES (cont)**

Oct. 16	.....at North Pointe
Oct. 23	.....at Estrella Foothills
Oct. 30	.....at Northwest Christian

**SETON CATHOLIC SENTINELS**

Sept. 4	.....at Amphitheater
Sept. 11	.....at Independence
Sept. 18	.....Coronado
Sept. 25	.....Notre Dame
Oct. 2	.....at Williams Field
Oct. 9	.....Tempe
Oct. 16	.....Queen Creek
Oct. 23	.....at Arcadia
Oct. 30	.....Maricopa
Nov. 6	.....at Higley

**SHADOW MOUNTAIN MATADORS**

Sept. 4	.....Notre Dame
Sept. 11	.....at Queen Creek
Sept. 18	.....Cactus Shadows
Sept. 25	.....at Independence
Oct. 2	.....Verrado
Oct. 9	.....at Apollo
Oct. 16	.....Moon Valley
Oct. 23	.....at Glendale
Oct. 30	.....Sunnyslope
Nov. 6	.....at Prescott

**SKYLINE COYOTES**

Aug. 28	.....at Chandler
Sept. 4	.....at Ironwood Ridge
Sept. 11	.....at Cibola
Sept. 17	.....Gilbert
Sept. 25	.....Pinnacle
Oct. 2	.....at Mountain Pointe
Oct. 9	.....Desert Ridge
Oct. 16	.....Westwood
Oct. 23	.....at Perry
Oct. 30	.....Marcos de Niza
Nov. 6	.....at Casa Grande

**SOUTH MOUNTAIN JAGUARS**

Sept. 4	.....at Willow Canyon
Sept. 11	.....Deer Valley
Sept. 17	.....at Betty Fairfax
Sept. 25	.....Carl Hayden
Oct. 2	.....Maryvale
Oct. 9	.....at Central
Oct. 16	.....at Alhambra
Oct. 23	.....Camelback
Oct. 30	.....at Trevor Browne
Nov. 6	.....North

**SOUTH POINTE GRIFFINS**

Aug. 28	.....at Arizona Lutheran
Sept. 4	.....San Tan Foothills
Sept. 11	.....Florence
Sept. 18	.....Chino Valley
Sept. 25	.....at Estrella Foothills
Oct. 2	.....at River Valley
Oct. 9	.....Parker
Oct. 16	.....Wickenburg
Oct. 23	.....at Coolidge
Oct. 30	.....Sedona Red Rock

**SUNNYSLOPE VIKINGS**

Sept. 4	.....at Greenway
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**SUNNYSLOPE VIKINGS (cont)**

Sept. 11	.....Scottsdale Saguar
Sept. 18	.....at Washington
Sept. 25	.....Glendale
Oct. 2	.....Apollo
Oct. 9	.....at Prescott
Oct. 16	.....Independence
Oct. 23	.....at Cactus Shadows
Oct. 30	.....at Shadow Mountain
Nov. 6	.....Moon Valley

**SUNRISE MOUNTAIN MUSTANGS**

Aug. 28	.....Liberty
Sept. 4	.....McClintock
Sept. 11	.....at Apollo
Sept. 18	.....at Verrado
Sept. 25	.....at Bradshaw Mountain
Oct. 2	.....Agua Fria
Oct. 9	.....Raymond Kellis
Oct. 16	.....at Copper Canyon
Oct. 30	.....at Peoria
Nov. 6	.....Dysart

**SUPERIOR PANTHERS**

Aug. 28	.....Patagonia
Sept. 4	.....Veritas Prep
Sept. 12	.....at Cibecue
Sept. 18	.....at Salt River
Sept. 25	.....Duncan
Oct. 2	.....Fort Thomas
Oct. 9	.....at Clifton
Oct. 16	.....at Chandler Prep

**TANQUE VERDE HAWKS**

Aug. 28	.....Clifton
Sept. 4	.....Ajo
Sept. 11	.....at Valley Union
Sept. 18	.....Patagonia
Sept. 25	.....at Gila Bend
Oct. 2	.....St. David
Oct. 16	.....at ASDB

**TEMPE BUFFALOES**

Sept. 4	.....Apache Junction
Sept. 12	.....at Sinagua
Sept. 18	.....Williams Field
Sept. 25	.....McClintock
Oct. 2	.....at Notre Dame
Oct. 9	.....at Seton Catholic
Oct. 16	.....Higley
Oct. 23	.....at Coronado
Oct. 30	.....Arcadia
Nov. 6	.....at Maricopa

**TEMPE PREP KNIGHTS**

Sept. 4	.....at Arizona Lutheran
Sept. 12	.....Pima
Sept. 18	.....at Northwest Christian
Sept. 25	.....North Pointe
Oct. 2	.....at Scottsdale Christian
Oct. 10	.....Thatcher
Oct. 16	.....Valley Christian
Oct. 23	.....at Bourgade Catholic
Oct. 30	.....at Camp Verde

**THUNDERBIRD CHIEFS**

Sept. 4	.....at Flagstaff
Sept. 11	.....Buckeye

**THUNDERBIRD CHIEFS (cont)**

Sept. 18	.....at McClintock
Sept. 25	.....Apollo
Oct. 2	.....at Liberty
Oct. 9	.....at Cortez
Oct. 16	.....Cactus
Oct. 23	.....at Greenway
Oct. 30	.....Washington
Nov. 6	.....Paradise Valley

**TOLLESON WOLVERINES**

Sept. 4	.....Maryvale
Sept. 11	.....Mesquite
Sept. 18	.....at Yuma
Sept. 25	.....at Cesar Chavez
Oct. 2	.....Centennial
Oct. 9	.....at Millennium
Oct. 16	.....at Westview
Oct. 23	.....La Joya
Oct. 30	.....Ironwood
Nov. 6	.....at Boulder Creek

**TONOPAH VALLEY PHOENIX**

Aug. 28	.....at Parker
Sept. 4	.....Peoria Accelerated
Sept. 11	.....at Northwest Christian
Sept. 18	.....at Yuma Catholic
Sept. 25	.....at Arizona Lutheran
Oct. 2	.....Westwind Prep
Oct. 9	.....North Pointe
Oct. 16	.....Phoenix Christian
Oct. 23	.....at Antelope
Oct. 30	.....Bourgade Catholic

**TREVOR BROWNE BRUINS**

Sept. 4	.....at Cesar Chavez
Sept. 11	.....at Carl Hayden
Sept. 17	.....Central
Sept. 25	.....at Camelback
Oct. 1	.....North
Oct. 9	.....at Betty Fairfax
Oct. 16	.....at Maryvale
Oct. 23	.....Alhambra
Oct. 30	.....South Mountain
Nov. 6	.....Chandler

**VALLEY CHRISTIAN TROJANS**

Sept. 4	.....at Westwind Prep
Sept. 11	.....Miami
Sept. 18	.....at Scottsdale Christian
Oct. 2	.....at Phoenix Christian
Oct. 9	.....Northwest Christian
Oct. 16	.....at Tempe Prep
Oct. 23	.....Camp Verde
Oct. 30	.....North Pointe

**VALLEY LUTHERAN FLAMES**

Aug. 28	.....Mogollon
Sept. 4	.....at Salt River
Sept. 11	.....PDSD
Sept. 19	.....Joy Christian
Sept. 25	.....at Salome
Oct. 3	.....Orme
Oct. 9	.....at St. Paul's Prep

**VALLEY VISTA MONSOON**

Sept. 4	.....at Alhambra
Sept. 11	.....Marcos de Niza

**VALLEY VISTA MONSOON (cont)**

Sept. 17	.....at La Joya
Sept. 25	.....Willow Canyon
Oct. 2	.....Deer Valley
Oct. 9	.....at Kingman
Oct. 16	.....Goldwater
Oct. 23	.....Boulder Creek
Oct. 30	.....at Mountain Ridge
Nov. 6	.....Sandra Day O'Connor

**VERITAS PREP FALCONS**

Aug. 28	.....Chandler Prep
Sept. 4	.....at Superior
Sept. 11	.....Fort Thomas
Sept. 17	.....at Duncan
Sept. 25	.....St. Paul's
Oct. 2	.....Cibecue
Oct. 9	.....at Salt River
Oct. 16	.....Clifton

**VERRADO VIPERS**

Aug. 28	.....Coconino
Sept. 4	.....at Rio Rico
Sept. 11	.....Dysart
Sept. 18	.....Sunrise Mountain
Sept. 25	.....Cortez
Oct. 2	.....at Shadow Mountain
Oct. 9	.....Liberty
Oct. 16	.....at Desert Edge
Oct. 23	.....Buckeye
Oct. 30	.....at Youngker

**WASHINGTON RAMS**

Sept. 4	.....Apollo
Sept. 11	.....at Coronado
Sept. 18	.....Sunnyslope
Sept. 25	.....at Flagstaff
Oct. 2	.....Buckeye
Oct. 9	.....at Cactus
Oct. 16	.....Paradise Valley
Oct. 23	.....Cortez
Oct. 30	.....at Thunderbird
Nov. 6	.....Greenway

**WESTVIEW KNIGHTS**

Aug. 28	.....at Willow Canyon
Sept. 4	.....Hamilton
Sept. 11	.....Highland
Sept. 25	.....at La Joya
Oct. 2	.....Ironwood
Oct. 9	.....at North
Oct. 16	.....Tolleson
Oct. 23	.....at Cesar Chavez
Oct. 30	.....Centennial
Nov. 6	.....at Millennium

**WESTWIND PREP WARRIORS**

Aug. 28	.....at North Pointe Prep
Sept. 4	.....Valley Christian
Sept. 11	.....at San Carlos
Sept. 18	.....at Antelope
Sept. 25	.....Phoenix Christian
Oct. 2	.....at Tonopah Valley
Oct. 9	.....Yuma Catholic
Oct. 16	.....at Bourgade Catholic
Oct. 23	.....Arizona Lutheran
Oct. 30	.....South Ridge

**WESTWOOD WARRIORS**

Aug. 28	.....Red Mountain
Sept. 4	.....Gila Ridge
Sept. 11	.....at Mesa
Sept. 17	.....Tucson
Sept. 25	.....at Perry
Oct. 2	.....Marcos de Niza
Oct. 9	.....Casa Grande
Oct. 16	.....at Skyline
Oct. 23	.....at Mountain Pointe
Oct. 30	.....Desert Ridge
Nov. 6	.....at Gilbert

**WICKENBURG WRANGLERS**

Aug. 28	.....at Fountain Hills
Sept. 4	.....at Santa Cruz
Sept. 11	.....at Mohave
Sept. 18	.....River Valley
Sept. 25	.....at Chino Valley
Oct. 2	.....at San Tan Foothills
Oct. 9	.....Sedona Red Rock
Oct. 16	.....at South Pointe
Oct. 23	.....Parker
Oct. 30	.....Estrella Foothills

**WILLIAMS FIELD BLACK HAWKS**

Sept. 4	.....Dysart
Sept. 11	.....Flagstaff
Sept. 18	.....at Tempe
Sept. 25	.....at Desert Edge
Oct. 2	.....Seton Catholic
Oct. 9	.....Notre Dame
Oct. 16	.....at Maricopa
Oct. 23	.....at Higley
Oct. 30	.....Coronado
Nov. 6	.....at Arcadia

**WILLOW CANYON WILDCATS**

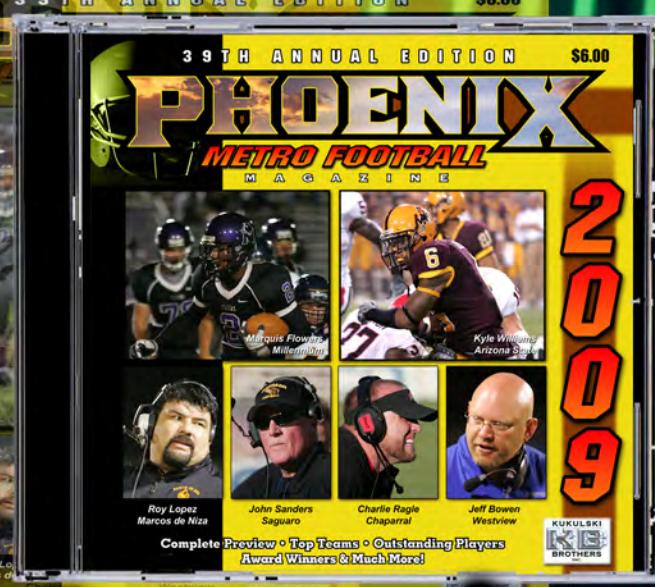
Aug. 28	.....Westview
Sept. 4	.....South Mountain
Sept. 11	.....at Centennial
Sept. 25	.....Valley Vista
Oct. 2	.....at Sandra Day O'Connor
Oct. 9	.....at Goldwater
Oct. 16	.....Kingman
Oct. 23	.....Mountain Ridge
Oct. 30	.....at Boulder Creek
Nov. 6	.....at Deer Valley

**YOUNKER ROUGHRIDERS**

Sept. 4	.....at Glendale
Sept. 11	.....Maricopa
Sept. 18	.....Cortez
Sept. 25	.....at Page
Oct. 2	.....Coconino
Oct. 16	.....at Liberty
Oct. 23	.....Desert Edge
Oct. 30	.....Verrado
Nov. 6	.....at Buckeye

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